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INTRODUCTION.

The MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW for November, 1900, is based on reports from about 3,099 stations furnished by employees and voluntary observers, classified as follows: regular stations of the Weather Bureau, 159; West Indian service stations, 13; special river stations, 132; special rainfall stations, 48; voluntary observers of the Weather Bureau, 2,562; Army post hospital reports, 18; United States Life-Saving Service, 9; Southern Pacific Railway Company, 96; Canadian Meteorological Service, 32; Mexican Telegraph Service, 20; Mexican voluntary stations, 7; Mexican Telegraph Company, 3. International simultaneous observations are received from a few stations and used, together with trustworthy newspaper extracts and special reports.

Special acknowledgment is made of the hearty cooperation of Prof. R. F. Stupart, Director of the Meteorological Service of the Dominion of Canada; Mr. Curtis J. Lyons, Meteorologist to the Hawaiian Government Survey, Honolulu; Señor Manuel E. Pastrana, Director of the Central Meteorological and Magnetic Observatory of Mexico; Camilo A. Gonzales, Director-General of Mexican Telegraphs; Mr. Maxwell Hall, Govern-

ment Meteorologist, Kingston, Jamaica; Capt. S. I. Kimball, Superintendent of the United States Life-Saving Service; and Commander Chapman C. Todd, Hydrographer, United States Navy.

Attention is called to the fact that the clocks and self-registers at regular Weather Bureau stations are all set to seventy-fifth meridian or eastern standard time, which is exactly five hours behind Greenwich time; as far as practicable, only this standard of time is used in the text of the REVIEW, since all Weather Bureau observations are required to be taken and recorded by it. The standards used by the public in the United States and Canada and by the voluntary observers are believed to conform generally to the modern international system of standard meridians, one hour apart, beginning with Greenwich. The Hawaiian standard meridian is $157^{\circ} 30'$ or $10^{\text{h}} 30^{\text{m}}$ west of Greenwich. Records of miscellaneous phenomena that are reported occasionally in other standards of time by voluntary observers or newspaper correspondents are sometimes corrected to agree with the eastern standard; otherwise, the local standard is mentioned.

FORECASTS AND WARNINGS.

By Prof. E. B. GARRIOTT, in charge of Forecast Division.

On the morning of November 9 the following special bulletin was issued by the Chief of the Weather Bureau:

The first well-marked cold wave of the season covers the middle-western and northwestern States with a reported minimum temperature of 12° below zero at Huron, S. Dak. Freezing weather is reported to southern Kansas and southern Missouri, and snow has fallen as far south as the Ohio River. To-night the line of freezing temperature will extend over Arkansas and Tennessee, and heavy frost will occur in central and north parts of the middle and east Gulf and South Atlantic States, excepting Florida.

On the morning of the 9th heavy frost was reported in the middle and east Gulf and South Atlantic States as far south as Meridian, Miss., Montgomery, Ala., and Macon and Savannah, Ga. Light frost occurred in extreme northern Florida the morning of the 10th, and generally along the Gulf coast from Corpus Christi, Tex., to Tampa, Fla., the morning of the 13th. In each instance warnings were distributed the day before the occurrence of frost in the districts visited.

The extreme northwest was visited by several periods of severe cold, which failed, however, to extend over considerable areas. The lowest temperature of the month in that section was reached the morning of the 20th, when a minimum of 30° below zero was noted at Havre, Mont., and the line of zero temperature was traced over western South Dakota. The occurrence of these low temperatures was covered by the daily forecasts.

The Great Lakes were visited by four general storms. The first of these crossed the upper lakes on the 1st and caused wind velocities of 40 to 50 miles an hour on the lower lakes.

From the 7th to the 9th the weather was stormy over the Lake region, but this period was not marked by gales of exceptional severity. During the 12th and 13th high winds and snow prevailed over the lakes. A storm which developed great intensity swept the Lake region on the 20th and 21st; over the lower lakes the maximum wind velocities on the 21st ranged from 60 to 80 miles an hour. During the 27th a storm moved northeastward over the Atlantic coast States, causing violent gales over the lower lakes and along the Atlantic coast.

Notwithstanding the ample warnings that were issued the lake storms of the month resulted in a number of casualties.

The storm of the 12-13th passed eastward to the St. Lawrence Valley and was followed on the 14th by snow from northern New York over the Lake region and the Northwest. In western New York the snowfall of the 14th and 15th was sufficiently heavy to delay railway traffic.

The period from the 17th to the 20th was one of unusual cold and heavy snow in the northern Rocky Mountain districts, and during the 20th and 21st the snow area extended over the middle Plateau region. The Atlantic coast and lower lake storm of the 26th and 27th was attended by freshets in the streams of New York, and by heavy snow in the northern part of that State.

On the Pacific coast the first important storm of the month appeared on the 16th, and this storm inaugurated a week of rain and high winds along the entire Pacific coast. In parts of California the heavy rains resulted in damaging floods.

In the north Pacific coast States gales were attended by snow and severe cold. At Vancouver, B. C., an unprecedented fall of snow for the season was reported. The gales, the snow and rain, and the temperature conditions were accurately forecast by the Weather Bureau.

An unusual and notable feature of the month was the occurrence of tornadic storms on the 20th in northern Arkansas, northern Mississippi, and eastern and middle Tennessee. These storms developed in the south quadrants of a general storm, the center of which moved during the 20th from Oklahoma to central Illinois, and passed thence over the Lake region during the 21st. The rain and the lake gales which attended this storm were forecast. As regards the tornadic storms referred to it is not possible, even in the presence of conditions which are recognized as being most favorable to their origin, to determine whether storms of this class will actually develop; and if it were possible to arrive at this determination the area, in any part of which their development is equally favored, is so great that the locality or even the State in which the tornadoes will occur can not be defined.

SPECIAL FORECASTS.

The only long-range forecasts of the month were made for election day, November 6. The first of these was issued November 3, and was worded as follows:

Present conditions point to fair weather and moderate temperature on Tuesday, November 6, over all districts east of the Mississippi River. From the Mississippi River to the Pacific coast present conditions are also favorable for fair weather, except on the middle and north Pacific coasts, where there may be rain.

This was followed on the 4th by the following:

For the first time in ten days the weather map shows a clear sky over the whole region from the Pacific to the Atlantic, except over a small area on the middle Atlantic coast, where some rain is falling as a result of a severe storm, the center of which is off Hatteras. The pressure is high over the western half of the country. These conditions will surely give clear, fine weather and pleasant temperature in all States on Monday, except possibly showers on the immediate Atlantic coast line. While it is possible for a storm to develop somewhere in this broad area by Tuesday, the conditions are unusually favorable for the continuation of fine weather for Monday over and throughout Tuesday.

On the morning of the 6th the prevailing weather conditions of the country were summarized as follows:

It is seldom that any day opens without a drop of rain falling anywhere within the area of the United States. Such is the remarkable condition this morning. With the exception of cloudiness over southern Wisconsin, northern Illinois, and eastern Iowa, the sky is clear with pleasant temperature everywhere. The showery condition which yesterday covered New York and New England has moved away as was expected, and all portions of New York and New England are certain to have fine weather during the day. The cloudiness previously referred to as being in Iowa and contiguous States is the result of a storm forming over western Iowa, which will probably result in the beginning of precipitation late to-night or to-morrow in Iowa, the central Mississippi valley and upper Lake region, but the weather will doubtless remain fair until after the closing of the polls.

On the morning of the 9th the following special forecast was telegraphed to Portland, Me., Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Norfolk:

Severe gales setting in from southeast and going to west and north-west will be encountered along the steamer tracks west of Newfoundland to-night, and over and near the Grand Banks Saturday.

During the 9th heavy gales prevailed along the middle Atlantic and New England coasts, and the wind increased to a strong gale off the Nova Scotia coast during the night of the 9th. Unusually severe south shifting to west gales continued over Nova Scotia during the 10th, and south gales set in over Newfoundland and the Grand Banks, shifting to west-erly by night.

The Yarmouth Steamship Company's side-wheel steamer *City of Monticello* struck on a reef at the entrance of the Bay of Fundy the morning of the 10th and sank. The passengers and crew numbered 37, and all except 4 were drowned. The steamer left St. John, N. B., at 11 a. m. of the 9th bound for Halifax, N. S. During the day and night the wind increased in force. When off Chegoggin Point she struck a reef and was soon completely wrecked on the rocks.

On the morning of the 26th, when a storm of marked intensity was central over the interior of the Middle Atlantic States, the following special forecast was telegraphed to Portland, Me., Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Norfolk, and published on the daily weather maps issued at those places:

Severe gales will shift to northwest off the middle Atlantic coast to-day and off the New England coast to-night. Dangerous southeast gales will shift to westerly over the Banks of Newfoundland Tuesday.

By the morning of the 27th the storm center had advanced to the south Nova Scotia coast, and by the following morning had passed to the east of Newfoundland.

On the whole the month was marked by exceptionally severe weather along the transatlantic steamship tracks.

On the 25th and 26th the streams of the Ohio Valley were swollen by heavy rains.

At Pittsburg, Pa., the Weather Bureau issued a flood warning at 2 p. m. of the 26th, announcing a 25-foot stage, or higher, by midnight. The night of the 26th a second warning was issued for a 28-foot stage by noon of the 27th. The maximum stage, 27.7 feet, was reached at 10 a. m., of the 27th.

General attention was given to the warnings, and property to the estimated value of at least \$1,000,000, was saved by removal to places of safety before the crest of the flood reached Pittsburg.

CHICAGO FORECAST DISTRICT.

No very severe storms occurred in the upper Lake region. Storm warnings were ordered in advance of the upper lake disturbances of 1st, 3d, 8th, 11th, and 12th, the warnings of the 12th being continued forty-eight hours, and at some stations for a longer period. The stormy weather which continued from the 17th to the 20th was amply covered by warnings, and on the morning of the 24th warnings were issued for the greater part of Lakes Michigan and Huron on account of a storm in the lower Mississippi Valley which moved eastward and northward, causing high winds over the southern parts of the lakes.

No cold waves swept the entire district. Warnings were, however, issued generally in advance of marked falls in temperature.—H. J. Cox, Professor.

SAN FRANCISCO FORECAST DISTRICT.

On November 14 conditions were such as to warrant the forecast of rain for northern California and threatening weather in southern California, which forecast was continued on the 15th. By November 16 the storm, which was destined to be noteworthy, was fairly in upon the north Pacific coast, and heavy rain was reported from San Francisco northward. On the morning of the 16th storm warnings were displayed from San Francisco to Eureka and all southern seaports were advised of a storm off the Washington coast. Rain was forecast for southern California the morning of the 16th. By November 17 heavy rains had fallen from San Diego to Neah Bay. The value of this rain was almost beyond estimation. Rain forecasts were continued Sunday and Monday, and north and east bound travelers were specially warned of

low temperatures and snow along their routes. On the 20th forecasts of high winds were sent to Nevada and Utah. On November 21 the morning forecast for southern California was "heavy rain this afternoon, to-night, and Thursday, with snow in the mountains and dangerously high southerly winds." High winds were also forecast for other parts of the district. Shipping and railroad interests were advised of heavy rains and high southerly winds. The forecasts were fully justified. The clearing weather which followed the storm was also accurately forecast.—*A. G. McAdie, Forecast Official.*

PORTLAND, OREG., FORECAST DISTRICT.

Following the storm of the 1st an unusually long period of fine weather prevailed, which terminated in a severe cold spell, attended by snow and blustering northeast winds that overspread the North Pacific States the night of the 17th and continued until the 22d. Freezing temperatures were experienced to the coast line for three days, and east of the Cascade Mountains zero temperature was reported at Spokane and Walla Walla. Both the cold weather and snow were accurately forecast, as was also the break to warmer, which occurred several days later. The warnings of cold were the means of saving several big shipments of potatoes that otherwise would have been frozen. Marine interests were kept fully advised of the approach of gales and high winds.—*E. A. Beals, Forecast Official.*

AREAS OF HIGH AND LOW PRESSURE.

During the month there were charted eleven highs and sixteen lows. A brief description of their movements and more prominent characteristics is given herewith.

Highs.—For the first time since May, 1900, with the exception of a portion of July, the highs exhibited a southeastward tendency, and the paths of a majority of them at times reached below the fortieth parallel. Nos. I, III, VII, and XI originated in the extreme central west, but pursued widely different paths. No. I moved from the Indian Territory northeastward to Ontario, and thence along a somewhat devious path to the Atlantic Ocean by way of Cape Breton Island. No. III originated in southeastern Wyoming and moved almost due southward through central Texas into the Gulf of Mexico. No. VII moved from the Kansas River Valley to West Virginia in twenty-four hours, and there disappeared, while No. XI maintained a fairly direct eastward movement from southeastern Wyoming to the Virginia coast. No. II first appeared on the Washington coast, moved eastward to North Dakota, and thence south-southeastward through Missouri and Mississippi into the Gulf of Mexico. No. IV moved from Columbia, N. W. T., to the Saskatchewan Valley, thence southeastward to the lower Ohio Valley, and thence eastward off the southern New Jersey coast. No. V followed much the same path as No. IV. Nos. VI and VIII moved across the extreme north from Alberta to the Atlantic Ocean. No. X was first noticed over northern Lake Superior, and from that section eastward followed very nearly in the paths of Nos. VI and VIII.

The characteristic winter type of high prevailed over the Plateau region except from the 14th to the 22d, inclusive, continuing at the close of the month.

Lows.—The lows were numerous and fairly regular in movement. Nos. I, V, XIV, XV, and XVI, moved eastward over the extreme north, No. I coming in over the Oregon coast. No. XVI dissipated in western Ontario, while the remaining three passed out the St. Lawrence Valley. During its progress No. V dipped down into the southern portion of the upper Lake region, afterward resuming its easterly course. Nos. XI, XII, and XIII, originated in the central Rocky Mountain

region, Nos. XI and XII passing into the Atlantic by way of the St. Lawrence Valley and Nova Scotia. No. XIII first traveled southeastward through the Southern States, turning northeastward after reaching central Alabama. It passed into the ocean off the southern New Jersey coast, and was afterward noted at Halifax, N. S., Sydney, C. B. I., and St. Johns, N. F. No. X originated in southwestern Montana, and moved down the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains to central Texas, where it disappeared. Nos. IV and IX originated in the middle Mississippi Valley, the former moving to eastern Lake Erie, and thence south-southeastward to the Virginia coast, and the latter to the Atlantic Ocean just north of latitude 45°. No. VI was a local disturbance of great intensity that moved from southeastern New York through New England to the country north of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Nos. II and VIII originated in the south Atlantic States, and both were last noticed in the vicinity of Bermuda.

From the morning of the 15th to the evening of the 19th a low of decided character was persistent near the Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia coasts, the barometer readings ranging in the neighborhood of 29.50 inches, and the depression extending into the north and middle Plateau region. It began to move southward during the night of the 19th, disappearing off the California coast during the night of the 20th.—*H. C. Frankenfield, Forecast Official.*

Movements of centers of areas of high and low pressure.

Number.	First observed.			Last observed.			Path.		Average velocities.	
	Date.	Lat. N.	Long. W.	Date.	Lat. N.	Long. W.	Length.	Duration.	Daily.	Hourly.
High areas.										
I.....	1, a. m.	34	96	4, a. m.	46	60	2,500	3.0	833	34.7
II.....	6, a. m.	47	123	10, p. m.	30	88	2,440	4.5	542	22.6
III.....	8, p. m.	48	122	12, p. m.	28	98	2,745	4.0	686	28.6
IV.....	12, a. m.	51	120	15, a. m.	40	78	2,725	3.0	908	37.8
V.....	14, a. m.	53	109	17, p. m.	41	70	2,400	3.5	686	28.6
VI.....	16, p. m.	54	114	20, a. m.	48	54	2,750	3.0	917	38.2
VII.....	21, a. m.	39	95	22, a. m.	38	80	800	1.0	800	33.3
VIII.....	22, p. m.	50	108	25, p. m.	46	60	2,265	3.0	755	31.5
IX.....	23, p. m.	50	110	29, a. m.	36	84	2,775	4.5	617	25.7
X.....	26, p. m.	48	85	29, p. m.	46	60	1,345	3.0	448	18.7
XI.....	28, p. m.	42	105	1, a. m.*	37	76	1,715	2.5	686	28.6
Sums.....							24,460	35.0	7,878	328.3
Mean of 11 paths.....							2,224		716	29.8
Mean of 35 days.....									699	29.1
Low areas.										
I.....	1, p. m.	45	117	4, p. m.	48	68	2,825	3.0	942	39.2
II.....	3, a. m.	34	82	5, p. m.	32	65	1,075	2.5	430	17.9
III.....	5, a. m.	45	78	6, a. m.	46	60	700	1.0	700	29.2
IV.....	6, a. m.	41	96	8, a. m.	37	76	1,400	2.0	700	29.2
V.....	7, p. m.	54	114	12, a. m.	48	68	2,490	4.5	553	23.0
VI.....	8, a. m.	41	74	10, a. m.	48	68	650	2.0	325	13.5
VII.....	11, p. m.	48	85	13, a. m.	48	68	900	1.0	900	37.5
VIII.....	11, p. m.	32	81	13, a. m.	32	65	1,000	1.5	667	27.8
IX.....	12, p. m.	43	91	14, p. m.	46	60	1,700	2.0	850	35.4
X.....	13, p. m.	47	112	15, a. m.	31	101	1,325	1.5	888	36.8
XI.....	17, a. m.	41	107	21, p. m.	48	68	2,425	4.5	539	22.5
XII.....	21, p. m.	40	105	24, a. m.	48	54	2,675	2.5	1,070	44.6
XIII.....	21, p. m.	41	111	28, a. m.	48	54	3,840	6.5	591	24.6
XIV.....	25, a. m.	53	121	29, a. m.	45	80	2,325	3.5	664	27.7
XV.....	27, p. m.	54	114	1, a. m.*	46	78	1,800	4.0	400	16.7
XVI.....	30, a. m.	54	114	2, p. m.*	47	85	1,550	2.5	514	21.4
Sums.....							30,280	48.0	11,348	472.8
Mean of 17 paths.....							1,781		667	27.8
Mean of 48 days.....									631	26.3

* December.

RIVERS AND FLOODS.

The Mississippi River from its source to the mouth of the Illinois River was somewhat lower than during October, 1900; from the mouth of the Illinois to the mouth of the Ohio there was but little change, while below the mouth of the Ohio stages

were from 2 to 3 feet higher, the water coming from the Ohio River on the earliest, and again on the latest days of the month. As compared with the corresponding month of 1899, the average stage for the entire river shows an increase of about 4 feet, which must be attributed mainly to the mildness of the temperature over the northern portion and the heavy rains over the Ohio watershed. The water from the Chicago Drainage Canal through the Illinois River also contributed, to a certain extent, toward the increase of the water level. The precise effect which this canal is exercising upon the stages of the Mississippi River can not be determined with any degree of exactness until a series of observations from low water to flood stages has been obtained.

The Ohio River stages were much higher than in October, on account of the moderate flood of the latter part of that month, the crest of which did not pass Cairo, Ill., until November 3, and of another, of more decided proportions, during the latter days of November. This latter flood was caused by heavy rains over the Ohio watershed from the 24th to the 26th. Danger-line stages were reached above Wheeling, W. Va., except along the Allegheny River, where they were not quite so high. The proportionately lower stages below Wheeling may be attributed to the fact that the heavy rains came first from the southwest, causing a sharper flood plane, and a consequent increase in the velocity of the stream-flow over the lower river. By the time the rain had reached the upper basin the water below had largely run out. The same amount of water from a general rain, well distributed over the entire watershed, would have caused a decided flood along the whole length of the river. The following account of the flood in the upper Ohio is taken from the report of Mr. Frank Ridgway, official in charge of the Weather Bureau office at Pittsburg, Pa.:

The heavy rains of November 20 and 21 terminated a long period of drought over the Allegheny and Monongahela valleys. From 1 to more than 2 inches of rain fell on those dates, but they did no more than to saturate the dry soil and start the springs. The heavier rains that began four days later fell upon soil already saturated with moisture, and consequently nearly all of this water quickly found its way into the rivers. On the morning of the 26th the reports from the upper rivers showed that the heavy rains had filled all the streams and that they were rising rapidly. Hourly observations were ordered from noon to 6 p. m. When the 2 p. m. reports were received, showing that the upper rivers were rising from 1 to 2 feet an hour, warnings were immediately issued, through the departments of justice of Allegheny and Pittsburg, the press, and by telegraph and telephone, in all directions along the three rivers, to prepare for 25 feet or more of water by midnight. The river at this point (Pittsburg) passed the danger line of 22 feet about 9 p. m. and was rising about 1 foot an hour. Later reports from the upper rivers justified this office in sending out a second warning at midnight that a stage of at least 28 feet would be reached by noon of the 27th, and that all movable property liable to damage by water at a 28-foot stage should be removed to places of safety.

This flood was unprecedented at Pittsburg for the time of the year, with the possible exception of the "pumpkin flood" of November, 1810.

General attention was given the warnings, and it is estimated that over \$1,000,000 worth of property was saved by removal to places of safety before the crest of the flood waters reached the city, which was twenty hours after the first warning was issued. The highest stages reached at the city were 27.7 feet on the Monongahela River, 28.2 feet on the Allegheny River, and 25.6 feet on the Ohio River, and all occurred between 9:30 and 11 a. m. An unusual deficiency of rainfall had necessitated the suspension of navigation throughout the entire summer and autumn. It can therefore be readily seen what this rise meant to the river interests of Pittsburg. During the last week of November nearly 150,000,000 bushels of coal were shipped by boat to southern markets, and at the same time the construction work of the season came to an end.

The flood in the lower Ohio was more moderate, and the

following report thereon was made by Mr. P. H. Smyth, official in charge of the Weather Bureau office at Cairo, Ill.:

A general rise in the Ohio River was in progress on November 20, 1900, due to general rain over the entire watershed. For five days subsequent to the initial rise, heavy rain continued quite general over the watersheds, which kept the lower river rising until December 3-4, 1900. The rise in the lower Ohio was augmented also by rises out of the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers.

The maximum stage reached at Evansville was 33.6 feet on December 3, and the maximum at Cairo was 32.6 feet on December 4. The maximum stage predicted for Evansville was between 34 and 35 feet, and for Cairo between 32.5 and 33 feet.

So far as learned no material damage resulted from the high stage. Warnings were sent out well in advance of the flood, and what property was in danger was removed to places of safety, as far as practicable.

Mr. Charles M. Spencer, Mount Vernon, Ind., in reporting on the high stage at that point, writes as follows:

"Information was posted on bulletin board, published in daily papers, and sent to neighboring post offices. No property was in danger, except logs and small amount of corn standing in fields. The logs were rafted and taken to mill, and the corn was cribbed. The approximate value of property protected was \$25,000, all of which was practically saved."

Mr. Charles Carroll, Shawneetown, Ill., reports on the high stage as follows:

"Information sent to farmers in river bottoms, Saline River to New Haven, Ill., and sent to those on Kentucky side; also sent by mail to all offices in this vicinity where people are interested. Immediate action was taken to drive stock out of the bottoms, crops and other property protected or removed. Approximate value of property (crops and stock) protected, probably \$600,000. Only a small amount, comparatively, of this was lost—some corn ungathered. Farmers having corn not gathered, at the news of the flood, called in assistance, trebled their forces, and saved by far the most of their crop. Such information is invaluable."

The rivers of the Atlantic system also rose considerably during the latter days of the month, owing to heavy rains from the same storm that caused the flood in the Ohio. The Susquehanna River at Wilkesbarre, Pa., reached a stage of about 25 feet, or 11 feet above the danger line, during the night of the 27th. Previous unpleasant flood experiences were wanting, however, as the two new bridges across the flats prevented the suburbs in that section from becoming isolated. The rise was not so marked in the lower river and in the West Branch.

The James River rose 10 to 15 feet from the 25th to the 27th. A stage close to the danger line was reached at Richmond, Va., warning of which was issued on the 27th. Along the water front property liable to damage was removed to places of security, and no avoidable losses occurred.

Nothing of interest occurred along the rivers of Texas and the Pacific coast.

Floating ice was observed during the month in the Mississippi River as far south as Prairie du Chien, Wis., and in the Missouri as far as Omaha, Neb. The latter river closed entirely at Bismarck, N. Dak., on the 16th, and as far south as Sioux City, Iowa, on the 20th.

Navigation on the upper Mississippi was officially closed on the 20th.

The highest and lowest water, mean stage, and monthly range at 127 river stations are given in Table XI. Hydrographs for typical points on seven principal rivers are shown on Chart V. The stations selected for charting are: Keokuk, St. Louis, Memphis, Vicksburg, and New Orleans, on the Mississippi; Cincinnati and Cairo, on the Ohio; Nashville, on the Cumberland; Johnsonville, on the Tennessee; Kansas City, on the Missouri; Little Rock, on the Arkansas; and Shreveport, on the Red.—H. C. Frankenfield, *Forecast Official*.

CLIMATE AND CROP SERVICE.

By JAMES BERRY, Chief of Climate and Crop Service Division.

The following extracts relating to the general weather conditions in the several States and Territories are taken from the monthly reports of the respective sections of the Climate and Crop Service. The name of the section director is given after each summary.

Rainfall is expressed in inches and temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.

Alabama.—The mean temperature was 55.2°, or 1.6° above normal; the highest was 86°, at Thomasville on the 3d, and the lowest, 23°, at Madison and Valleyhead on the 9th. The average precipitation was 3.88, or 0.46 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 7.80, occurred at Opelika, and the least, 1.01, at Daphne.

The month was very favorable for all farm work; considerable plowing has been done and about the usual acreage has been sown to wheat, much of which has germinated and is in good condition; an increased acreage has been devoted to oats, some of which is up to good stands and growing nicely.—*F. P. Chaffee.*

Arizona.—The mean temperature was 56.9°, or 2.6 above normal; the highest was 97°, at Aztec on the 4th, and the lowest, 13°, at Flagstaff on the 12th. The average precipitation was 1.60, or 0.87 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 7.87, occurred at Pinal Ranch, while none fell at Cochise, Gila Bend, and Pantana.—*L. M. Dey, Jr.*

Arkansas.—The mean temperature was 51.4°, or 0.7° above normal; the highest was 90°, at Camden on the 3d, and the lowest, 18°, at Pond on the 12th. The average precipitation was 4.28, or 0.25 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 9.39, occurred at Lonoke, and the least, 1.79, at Arkansas City.

Wheat is coming up to good stands and is looking well; the acreage is smaller than last year, except in the northwest section where it is about the average. The hessian fly is doing some damage.—*E. B. Richards.*

California.—The mean temperature was 54.7°, or 2.5° above normal; the highest was 102°, at Irvine on the 11th, and the lowest, 4° below zero, at Bodie on the 27th and 28th. The average precipitation was 5.21, or 2.96 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 18.91, occurred at Summerdale, while none fell at Mammoth Tank, Ogilby, and Salton.—*A. G. McAfee.*

Colorado.—The mean temperature was 37.9°, or 2.9° above normal; the highest was 85°, at Blaine on the 2d and 5th, and the lowest, 18° below zero, at Troutvale on the 29th. The average precipitation was 0.45, or 0.26 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 2.43, occurred at Mancos, while none fell at Boxelder, Las Animas, and Blaine.—*F. H. Brandenburg.*

Florida.—The mean temperature was 64.5°, or 1.2° below normal; the highest was 92°, at Nocatee on the 2d, and the lowest, 27°, at Sumner on the 13th. The average precipitation was 1.31, or 0.77 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 3.53, occurred at St. Andrews Bay, and the least, 0.10, at Clermont.—*A. J. Mitchell.*

Georgia.—The mean temperature was 55.8°, or 0.9° above normal; the highest was 86°, at Waycross on the 1st, 19th, and 21st, and at Maury on the 21st, and the lowest, 18°, at Dahlonaga on the 9th. The average precipitation was 3.39, or 0.47 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 6.61, occurred at Allentown, and the least, 1.25, at Allapaha.

The month, as a whole, was regarded as favorable to farming interests, and much wheat has been sown.—*J. B. Marbury.*

Idaho.—The mean temperature was 35.2°, or 0.3° below normal; the highest was 73°, at Garnet on the 3d, and the lowest, 20° below zero, at Kootenai on the 19th. The average precipitation was 1.51, or 0.39 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 3.16, occurred at St. Maries, and the least, 0.39, at Forney.—*S. M. Blandford.*

Illinois.—The mean temperature was 41.2°, or 0.8° above normal; the highest was 83°, at St. John on the 22d, and the lowest, 2°, at Scales Mound on the 15th. The average precipitation was 2.92, or about normal; the greatest monthly amount, 6.52, occurred at Raum, and the least, 0.91, at Coatsburg.

The weather has, in general, been very favorable for the growth of wheat, and its average condition at the end of the month was excellent. The hessian fly has caused some damage; early sown wheat suffered more from the fly than later sown. Pastures are generally in fine condition and are still offering good feed for cattle. Meadows look green and have made good and healthy growth during the fall.—*M. E. Blystone.*

Indiana.—The mean temperature was 42.8°, or 1.5° above normal; the highest was 81°, at Mount Vernon on the 21st, and the lowest, 9°, at South Bend on the 16th. The average precipitation was 4.26, or 0.43 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 9.15, occurred at Mount Vernon, and the least, 0.80, at Valparaiso.

Wheat is well stood, deep rooted, and vigorous in growth; in most

fields it covers the ground nicely, and in some it is rank. In the early sown fields the fly is apparently doing injury. Pastures and meadows were green at the close of the month and live stock was in good condition.—*C. F. R. Wappenhans.*

Iowa.—The mean temperature was 33.5°; the highest was 79°, at Galva on the 3d, and the lowest, 6° below zero, at Fonda on the 15th. The average precipitation was 1.06, or 0.36 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 3.35, occurred at Danville, and the least, trace, at Glenwood and Primghar.

The unusual amount of cloudiness, fog, and misty weather retarded the corn harvest and kept the fields and roads wet and heavy, but the pastures were fine and there was abundant feed for stock.—*J. R. Sage, Director; G. M. Chappel, Assistant.*

Kansas.—The mean temperature was 41.9°, or 0.8° above normal; the highest was 90°, at Hoxie on the 1st and at Wallace on the 3d, and the lowest, 2° below zero, at Achilles on the 21st. The average precipitation was 0.56, or 0.36 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 2.03, occurred at Columbus, while none fell at Gove, Scott, and Viroqua.

The weather was quite favorable for farm work. Wheat has grown rapidly and is generally in fine condition, though in the extreme northwest counties it has begun to show effects of the drought, and in Ottawa, Saline, Rice, and Cherokee counties there is some complaint of the hessian fly. It is being pastured to prevent stooing.—*T. B. Jennings.*

Kentucky.—The mean temperature was 47.0°, or 0.8° above normal; the highest was 83°, at Warfield on the 1st, and the lowest, 15°, at Maysville on the 15th. The average precipitation was 7.78, or 3.63 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 11.84, occurred at Hopkinsville, and the least, 4.87, at Henderson.

Quite a serious drought existed over the State up to the 19th and winter wheat suffered considerably, the ravages of the fly being much more serious on account of the drought. The heavy rains from the 19th to the 26th greatly benefited the wheat crop, so that by the end of the month it was in fair condition.—*H. B. Hersey.*

Louisiana.—The mean temperature was 60.3°, or 2.2° above normal; the highest was 92°, at Lake Charles on the 1st and at Donaldsonville on the 21st, and the lowest, 22°, at Oxford and Robeline on the 12th. The average precipitation was 2.91, or 1.35 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.11, occurred at Cheneyville, and the least, 0.48, at Painscourtville.

The weather was very favorable for harvesting such of the farm products as were yet in the field.—*W. T. Blythe.*

Maryland and Delaware.—The mean temperature was 47.7°, or 3.4° above normal; the highest was 81°, at Cumberland, Md., on the 3d, and the lowest, 4°, at Deerpark, Md., on the 16th. The average precipitation was 2.97, or 0.28 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 6.52, occurred at Sunnyside, Md., and the least, 1.08, at St. Charles College, Md.—*Oliver L. Fassig.*

Michigan.—The mean temperature was 35.1°, or about normal; the highest was 76°, at Berrien Springs, Plymouth, and Stanton on the 1st, and at Ludington on the 5th, and the lowest, 8° below zero, at Humboldt on the 26th. The average precipitation was 3.63, or 1.06 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 7.67, occurred at Berrien Springs, and the least, 0.20, at Humboldt.—*C. F. Schneider.*

Minnesota.—The mean temperature was 25.4°, or 1.5° below normal; the highest was 72°, at Milan on the 3d, and the lowest, 26° below zero, at Hallock on the 23d. The average precipitation was 0.62 or about 0.40 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 1.77, occurred at Caledonia, and the least, 0.20, at Blooming Prairie.—*T. S. Outram.*

Mississippi.—The mean temperature was 56.7°, or 1.5° above normal; the highest was 90°, at Columbus on the 23d, and the lowest, 21°, at Jackson on the 26th. The average precipitation was 2.97, or 0.41 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.15, occurred at Natchez, and the least, 0.71, at Bay St. Louis.—*W. S. Belden.*

Missouri.—The mean temperature was 43.5°, or 1.1° above normal; the highest was 84°, at Cook Station on the 22d, and the lowest, 7°, at Maryville on the 21st. The average precipitation was 2.62, or 0.24 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.76, occurred at New Madrid, and the least, 0.20, at Rockport.

Although over most of the central and northern counties there was less precipitation than usual, owing to the heavy rains at the close of October, there was an abundance of moisture for wheat and grasses, except in a few of the eastern counties, where the ground became quite dry during the forepart of the month. The mild temperature was favorable for good growth, and the wheat crop continued in excellent condition, except that in some of the central and southern counties early sown wheat was injured by fly.—*A. E. Hackett.*

Nebraska.—The mean temperature was 35.5°, or 0.8° above normal; the highest was 83°, at Gothenburg on the 5th, and the lowest, 9° below zero, at Ansley and Fort Robinson on the 20th. The average precipitation was 0.15, or 0.53 below normal; the greatest monthly

amount, 0.97, occurred at Minden, while none fell at Madrid and Smithfield.

The dry weather, combined with uniformly moderate temperature, has been favorable for all agricultural interests. All fall sown grain has made good growth, and at the end of the month was in excellent condition.—*G. A. Loveland.*

Nevada.—The mean temperature was 41.0°, or 3.1° above normal; the highest was 78°, at Hawthorne on the 3d and at Candelaria on the 4th, 12th, and 13th, and the lowest, 1°, at Owyhee on the 22d. The average precipitation was 1.34, or 0.77 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 6.68, occurred at Lewers Ranch, and the least, trace, at Hot Springs.—*J. H. Smith.*

New England.—The mean temperature was 40.0°, or 2.9° above normal; the highest was 74°, at Middletown, Conn., and at Chestnut Hill and Middleboro, Mass., on the 2d, and the lowest, 1° below zero, at Berlin Mills, N. H., on the 28th. The average precipitation was 5.49, or 1.57 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 10.12, occurred at Vernon, Vt., and the least, 2.96, at South Portsmouth, R. I.—*J. W. Smith.*

New Jersey.—The mean temperature was 47.5°, or 4.0° above normal; the highest was 79°, at Flemington on the 2d and at Salem on 20th, and the lowest, 15°, at Layton and Toms River on the 17th. The average precipitation was 3.43, or 0.56 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 5.54, occurred at Rivervale, and the least, 1.82, at Cape May C. H.—*E. W. McGann.*

New Mexico.—The mean temperature was 45.6°, or 2.7° above normal; the highest was 80°, at Albert, Fort Union, and Fort Wingate on the 4th and at Mesilla Park on the 8th, and the lowest, 6°, at Springer on the 25th. The average precipitation was 0.45, or 0.20 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 1.40, occurred at Lyons Ranch, while none was recorded at Albert, Engle, and Raton, and only a trace at Lower Penasco and Springer.—*R. M. Hardinge.*

New York.—The mean temperature was 39.8°, or 2.4° above normal; the highest was 77°, at Walton on the 21st, and the lowest, 2° below zero, at Canton and Watertown on the 16th. The average precipitation was 5.39, or 2.13 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.97, occurred at Number Four, and the least, 2.00, at Lockport.

The weather was generally favorable for winter grain. Wheat and rye made a fine start and were in good condition at the close of the month. Pastures continue green, affording much feed for stock.—*R. G. Allen.*

North Carolina.—The mean temperature was 52.6°, or 3.9° above normal; the highest was 86°, at Sloan on the 1st, and the lowest, 13°, at Highlands on the 9th. The average precipitation was 4.17, or 0.91 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.95, occurred at Kittyhawk, and the least, 2.10, at Salisbury.

A large acreage was seeded to winter wheat, as well as to oats and rye; the seed sprouted nicely and the plants obtained a good start.—*C. F. von Herrmann.*

North Dakota.—The mean temperature was 20.4°, or 2.0° below normal; the highest was 64°, at Power on the 3d and at Fort Yates on the 4th, and the lowest, 29° below zero, at McKinney on the 22d. The average precipitation was 0.32, or 0.38 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 1.05, occurred at Glenullin, and the least, 0.17, at Steele.—*B. H. Bronson.*

Ohio.—The mean temperature was 41.6°, or 1.0° above normal; the highest was 80°, at Findlay and Greene on the 1st, and the lowest, zero, at Millport on the 16th. The average precipitation was 3.63, or 0.86 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 7.28, occurred at Thurman, and the least, 2.36, at Philo.

Wheat suffered some from lack of moisture during the first half of the month, but showed decided improvement during the last decade, when there was abundant precipitation with moderate temperature. Early sown wheat, which is only a small percentage of the whole, has been injured by the hessian fly. The late sown germinated slowly and made slow growth during the early part of the month, and consequently is small for the season, but is a good stand, healthy and of good color. The acreage is less than usual. Pastures were improved by the rains, and stock is in good condition generally.—*J. Warren Smith.*

Oklahoma and Indian Territories.—The mean temperature was 50.0°, or 1.6° above normal; the highest was 85°, at Claremore on the 22d, and the lowest, 14°, at Kenton on the 25th. The average precipitation was 1.18, or 0.46 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 4.10, occurred at Webbers Falls, while none fell at Beaver and Texmo.

The weather was especially favorable for wheat and rye in the ground, and at the close of the month wheat was becoming rank, with some jointing reported. Cattle were being pastured on the wheat and were in fine condition. Cotton picking was in progress throughout the month and much remained to be gathered.—*C. M. Strong.*

Oregon.—The mean temperature was 44.7°, or 0.4° above normal; the highest was 79°, at Toledo on the 12th, and the lowest, 11° below zero, at Dayville on the 21st. The average precipitation was 4.49, or 2.02 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 12.37, occurred at Falls City, and the least, 0.25, at Prineville.—*E. A. Beals.*

Pennsylvania.—The mean temperature was 43.5°, or 3.2° above normal; the highest was 79°, at Williamsport on the 21st, and the lowest,

7°, at Butler on the 16th. The average precipitation was 4.10, or slightly above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 6.92, occurred at Uniontown, and the least, 1.67, at Browsers Lock.—*L. M. Dey.*

South Carolina.—The mean temperature was 55.6°, or 1.6° above normal; the highest was 92°, at Trial on the 25th, and the lowest, 22°, at Holland on the 9th. The average precipitation was 3.32, or 0.50 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 5.45, occurred at Spartanburg, and the least, 1.50, at Georgetown.—*J. W. Bauer.*

South Dakota.—The mean temperature was 28.7°, or about 1.0° below normal; the highest was 77°, at Vermillion on the 2d, and the lowest, 12° below zero, at Hotch City on the 21st. The average precipitation was 0.26, or 0.33 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 0.80, occurred at DeSmet, and the least, trace, at Alexandria, Fort Randall, Mellette, and Plankinton.—*S. W. Glenn.*

Tennessee.—The mean temperature was 49.3°, or 1.1° above normal; the highest was 82°, at Savannah on the 20th, and the lowest, 13°, at Rugby on the 30th. The average precipitation was 6.24, or 2.18 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 10.74, occurred at Oakhill, and the least, 3.18, at Ashwood.

Warm, dry weather the first half of the month favored the ravages of the hessian fly and many fields of early sown wheat were ruined. Late sown wheat was generally looking well at the close of the month.—*H. C. Bate.*

Texas.—The mean temperature was 59.1°, or 2.4° above normal; the highest was 96°, at Fort McIntosh on the 19th, and the lowest, 22°, at Lampassas on the 12th. The average precipitation was 1.79, or 0.38 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.43, occurred at Trinity, and the least, trace, at Sanderson.

The month, as a whole, was favorable for agricultural interests. Where cotton picking was not completed the work was carried forward under the most favorable conditions, and was generally completed by the middle of the month. The yield of cotton was generally better than anticipated a few months ago, except over the lower Brazos Bottoms, where the crop was almost an entire failure. Wheat sowing made good progress and the weather was exceptionally favorable for this work prior to the 17th. The rains which followed over the wheat belt were not heavy enough to materially retard work, but were very favorable for the germination and growth of the crop. Altogether the wheat outlook is very favorable. Sugar cane matured favorably and is being manufactured as rapidly as practicable. Fall truck gardening has progressed nicely.—*I. M. Cline.*

Utah.—The mean temperature was 40.1°, or 3.2° above normal; the highest was 80°, at St. George on the 3d, and the lowest, 1°, at Loa on the 27th, 28th, and 30th. The average precipitation was 1.51, or 0.76 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 5.07, occurred at Huntsville, and the least, trace, at Cisco.—*L. H. Murdoch.*

Virginia.—The mean temperature was 49.9°, or 4.1° above normal; the highest was 83°, at Petersburg on the 23d, and the lowest, 12°, at Meadowdale on the 16th. The average precipitation was 3.50, or 0.75 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 7.03, occurred at Bigstone Gap, and the least, 1.12, at Columbia.

The weather during the month was quite favorable; the sunshine was ample and the soil warm. This brought about an excellent growth of the early sown wheat and promoted the rapid germination of the later seedings, so that at the close of the month the crop was in a very promising condition. Where the crop has come up it is green and vigorous, and a generally good stand has been secured.—*E. A. Evans.*

Washington.—The mean temperature was 38.5°, or 1.7° below normal; the highest was 69°, at Southbend on the 12th, and the lowest, 16° below zero, at Ellensburg on the 21st. The average precipitation was 3.52, or 2.54 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 13.32, occurred at Clearwater, and the least, 0.64, at Mottingers.

The cold of the 18th to 22d was general over the State and was one of the earliest and most severe on record for November.—*G. N. Salisbury.*

West Virginia.—The mean temperature was 45.5°, or 1.9° above normal; the highest was 86°, at Spencer on the 20th, and the lowest, 9°, at Central Station and Philippi on the 16th. The average precipitation was 5.20, or 1.45 above normal; the greatest monthly amount, 8.88, occurred at Princeton, and the least, 2.71, at Magnolia.

The good rains and mild weather that occurred during the latter part of the month gave wheat a good start, and it is now reported to be looking fairly well, with a normal acreage sown, although in some southern sections complaint is made of damage by the fly and grubworm.—*E. C. Vose.*

Wisconsin.—The mean temperature was 30.5°, or 1.9° below normal; the highest was 70°, at Prairie du Chien on the 4th, and the lowest, 7° below zero, at Osceola on the 23d. The average precipitation was 1.59, or slightly below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 4.19, occurred at Racine, and the least, 0.21, at Casco.—*W. M. Wilson.*

Wyoming.—The mean temperature was 33.6°, or 1.6° above normal; the highest was 74°, at Wheatland on the 5th, and the lowest, 15° below zero, at Parkman on the 20th. The average precipitation was 0.39, or 0.27 below normal; the greatest monthly amount, 2.53, occurred at Evanston, while none fell at Lusk and Thermopolis.—*W. S. Palmer.*

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

MONTHLY STATEMENT OF AVERAGE WEATHER CONDITIONS FOR NOVEMBER.

By Prof. E. B. GARRIOTT.

The following statements are based on average weather conditions for November, as determined by long series of observations. As the weather of any given November does not conform strictly to the average conditions the statements can not be considered as forecasts:

In its general character November weather forms a mean between the heat of late summer and early fall and the cold of winter, and, in marked contrast to the severe storms of August, September, and October, the weather in the tropical and subtropical regions of the Atlantic Ocean is usually settled and fine. In the Pacific Ocean and on the southeastern coasts of Asia the typhoon season is nearing its end. In the middle latitudes of the oceans the winds become stronger and blow more steadily from the northwest, shifting to west, southwest, and south, as a given parallel is followed from their western to their eastern shores. The storms encountered in the middle latitudes are not as strong as the tropical bred storms of the preceding month, nor the storms which occur during the winter season. The southward flow of arctic ice in the Atlantic has ceased, and but little fog is encountered in the transatlantic steamship routes near Newfoundland.

In the United States the Pacific coast wet season begins in October, and the rainfall increases until December. Over the middle and northern Plateau regions there is an increase in rainfall as compared with the summer and early fall months, except in Utah, where the rainfall is less than in October. In Arizona and New Mexico November is dry as compared with the summer months. In Montana November is one of the driest months of the year. In the great corn and wheat growing districts of the central valleys there is a gradual diminution in rainfall from summer to midwinter. In the east Gulf and South Atlantic States November rainfalls are commonly light, and in the west Gulf districts they fall short of the summer average. From the Lake region and Ohio Valley, over the Middle Atlantic and New England States there is a general, though not well-marked, decrease in rainfall from midsummer to midwinter.

In the interior of the Gulf and South Atlantic States garden truck is subject to damage by frost, and damaging frost is likely to occur in central and northern Florida in November.

RAINFALL FROM CONVECTIONAL CURRENTS.

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A great deal of popular as well as scientific interest attaches to the excessively rapid rates of rainfall that are occasionally experienced in the United States, not only because of their effects, which are often disastrous, but also because they are manifestations of the tremendous amount of latent energy that nature has at her command.

TABLE 1.

Stations.	Rate per hour in inches for —		
	5 minutes.	10 minutes.	60 minutes.
Bismarek, N. Dak.	9.00	6.00	2.00
Jacksonville, Fla.	7.44	7.08	2.30
Galveston, Tex.	6.48	5.58	2.35

In Weather Bureau Bulletin D, Rainfall of the United States, Prof. Alfred J. Henry gives the foregoing as the maximum rates of rainfall that have been recorded at Weather Bureau stations, and in the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW for September, 1898, he has shown that one inch of rainfall is equivalent to 27,154 gallons, or 226,000 pounds of water per acre, the gallon containing 231 cubic inches, and a cubic inch of water weighing 252.286 grains. Rainfall at the rate of 9 inches per hour therefore represents a fall of 33,900 pounds, or 4,073.1 gallons per acre each minute, and in five minutes over an area of 4 square miles represents a fall of 51,000,000 gallons, an amount considerably in excess of the daily water supply and consumption of Washington, D. C.

What is the source whence the vast amount of water indicated by the above rates of precipitation is derived?

In the Smithsonian Report for 1888, page 410, Prof. Cleveland Abbe gives the water equivalent of the aqueous vapor in air for columns of different heights for various surface conditions. His table is here reproduced.

TABLE 2.—Depths of water in the atmosphere corresponding to various dew-points at the earth's surface.

Height of column of air.	Dew-point.			
	80°	70°	60°	50°
Feet.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
6,000.....	1.3	1.0	0.7	0.5
12,000.....	2.1	1.5	1.1	0.8
18,000.....	2.5	1.8	1.3	0.9
24,000.....	2.7	2.0	1.4	1.0
30,000.....	2.8	2.1	1.5	1.1

It is evident from this table that there may be contained in the air column immediately above us, in the form of invisible vapor, sufficient moisture to produce over 2 inches of rainfall if it could all be precipitated, and if this column could be renewed each hour a rate of rainfall equal to any on record could be maintained.

It is not the purpose of this paper to discuss the various methods by which the vapor of water in the atmosphere may be precipitated, but rather to consider the condensation and precipitation that may result from ascending, or convectional currents.

We will first consider the nature of atmospheric moisture.

As is well known the atmosphere is not a simple gas like hydrogen or oxygen, but consists of a mechanical mixture of gases and vapors, the most important of which are nitrogen, oxygen, and aqueous vapor.

Gases are perfectly elastic, and the amount of gas a given space will contain varies directly with the pressure, and is inversely proportional to the temperature. If we diminish the pressure on a gas and allow it to expand against a lower pressure, work is done at the expense of the temperature of the gas and the gas cools off. Conversely, if the gas is compressed it becomes warmer.

The term vapor applies more properly to a gas near its temperature of condensation. Near this point the gas ceases to be perfectly elastic, and either the cooling or the compression of the vapor may be carried to such an extreme that the space occupied can contain no more of it. The space is then said to be saturated. If the compression or cooling is continued beyond this point, some of the vapor will be converted into a liquid.

The oxygen and nitrogen of the air can be liquified only under a combination of extremely high pressures and very low temperatures, but the aqueous vapor, if present in any

considerable quantity, may be condensed by comparatively slight cooling under normal pressure.

The following extract from Prof. C. F. Marvin's moisture tables (W. B. No. 171) shows the maximum number of grains of aqueous vapor that may be contained in a cubic foot of space. The quantity is the same whether the vapor occupies the space alone, or in conjunction with various gases.

TABLE 3.—Maximum weight of aqueous vapor contained in a cubic foot.

	Temperature, Fahrenheit.									
	0°	10°	20°	30°	40°	50°	60°	70°	80°	90°
Grains of aqueous vapor.....	0.481	0.776	1.235	1.935	2.849	4.076	5.745	7.980	10.934	14.790

A cubic foot of space saturated with aqueous vapor at a temperature of 80° contains 10.934 grains, and if cooled to 70° could contain but 7.980 grains. It follows that 2.954 grains would be condensed into liquid drops, that would either remain suspended as fog, or be precipitated as water. If the cooling continue to 40°, 8.085 grains of moisture would be condensed, leaving only 2.849 grains of the vapor.

We will suppose the temperature in our cubic foot of space to be 90°, and the amount of moisture only 70 per cent of that required for saturation; that is, the relative humidity is 70, and the weight of the vapor is 10.353 grains. Should the temperature fall to 40° only 2.849 grains could continue in a state of vapor, the remaining 7.504 grains being condensed.

This weight of the vapor in a unit volume is called the absolute humidity.

In nature, any process that will cool the atmosphere below its saturation temperature will cause condensation of moisture. It is generally admitted that the expansion that takes place in ascending currents, is a fruitful source of cooling and consequent condensation of the aqueous vapor of the atmosphere.

The process by which this cooling is accomplished can best be understood by first considering what takes place when a small quantity of heat is imparted to a known mass of air. A portion of the heat is converted into work, and is employed in overcoming the resistance that the pressure of the air exerts against expansion. The remainder is available for raising the temperature of the air mass.

In adiabatic expansion we have expansion without the receipt of heat from any external source, and the energy necessary to do the work of expansion is obtained at the expense of the heat already present in the air. It is therefore evident that the work of expansion must cool the air.

After the air has been cooled to such an extent that it is saturated with aqueous vapor, a small portion of the heat required in the work of further expansion is furnished by the liberation of the latent heat of the water condensed, and the rate of cooling is thereby diminished.

From our knowledge of physics we are enabled to express these adiabatic processes in mathematical language, as has been done by Kelvin, Ferrel, Hertz, Bezold, and others. A convenient arrangement of their results may be found on pages 492-494, equations 71-127, of Part II, Report of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, 1898-99; but the equations are so cumbersome for purposes of computation that but little practical use has been made of them.

In order that these equations may be more easily applied to the adiabatic thermodynamic problems of the atmosphere, Prof. Frank H. Bigelow has developed them in the form given on page 496, equations 144-148, of the above report. Equations 145 and 146, which follow, express the adiabatic processes

within expanding and cooling air until it cools down to the freezing temperature.

For air unsaturated with moisture:

Ia.

$$(145) \dots \left(0.2374 + 0.1512 \frac{e}{B} + 0.0232 \frac{e^2}{B^2} \right) \log T$$

IIa.

$$- \left(0.06858 + 0.02592 \frac{e}{B} \right) \log B = Ca.$$

For air saturated with moisture:

Iβ.

$$(146) \dots \left(0.2374 + 0.4743 \frac{e}{B} + 0.145 \frac{e^2}{B^2} \right) \log T$$

IIβ.

$$- \left(0.06858 - 0.04266 \frac{e}{B} \right) \log (B - e').$$

IIIβ.

$$+ \left[\frac{497.5}{T} - 0.4404 - \left(\frac{309.4}{T} - 0.2739 \right) \frac{e}{B} \right] \left(\frac{e'}{B - e'} \right) = C\beta.$$

The equations for temperatures below freezing are not here considered, since the general absence of hail during periods of excessive precipitation indicates that it is only in exceptional cases that convectional currents extend to a sufficient height to reach freezing temperatures.

In the equations above given we have to do with the following quantities:

T = absolute temperature = $t + 273$, in degrees centigrade.

B = barometric pressure, in millimeters.

e = pressure of the aqueous vapor, in millimeters.

e' = pressure of the aqueous vapor, in millimeters, in the saturated stage.

Ca = the numerical value of the equation for the unsaturated stage, which is a constant for any given value of $\frac{e}{B}$.

$C\beta$ = the numerical value of the equation for the saturated stage, which is also a constant for any given value of $\frac{e}{B}$.

The logarithms are Napierian logarithms.

The unit is 1,000 grams.

If we observe B , t , and e at the surface of the earth and determine the constant Ca , equation 145 can then be solved for any desired value of B , and the corresponding t determined, or vice versa. Equation 146 can then be solved, as will be shown later.

In tables 94 to 99, inclusive, pp. 550-556 of the report above quoted, the values of the quantities in these equations are tabulated in such form as to render the computation for the four following cases quite simple:

(1) At Washington, D. C., on June 29, 1895, 0.93 inch of rain fell between 7:05 p. m. and 9:10 p. m., 0.80 inch falling during the first fifteen minutes. (2) On August 13, 1896, 1.73 inches fell between 5:20 p. m. and 8:24 p. m., 1.57 inches falling in forty-five minutes. On both these dates 0.42 inch fell in five minutes, which is at the rate of 5.04 inches per hour. (3) On August 12, 1898, 4.96 inches of rain fell between 9:20 a. m. and 11 p. m. (4) On June 2, 1900, 3.48 inches fell between 2:15 p. m. and 6:30 p. m.

If we introduce into equation 145 the values of B , t , and e , observed at Washington on these four dates, we shall be able to compute the respective temperatures and pressures at which the air in ascending currents would become saturated, and clouds would commence to form. With the B and t thus determined, which we will designate B_s and t_s , we may now

compute from equation 146 the respective pressures at which freezing temperature would be reached.

Having determined t and B , we may compute the corresponding altitude by the aid of the hypsometric formulæ which Professor Bigelow has evaluated in tables 91 to 93 of the Report of Chief of Weather Bureau, 1898-1899. The resulting heights are given in the accompanying Table 4, where the altitude corresponding to the saturation temperature is designated by h_s , and that corresponding to the freezing temperature is designated by h'_o .

The equation $\mu = 622 \frac{e}{B} + 235 \frac{e^2}{B^2}$ = grains of aqueous vapor in a kilogram of saturated air, will enable us to determine at any point what percentage of the aqueous vapor originally present has been condensed, and, in conjunction with the absolute humidity at t_s , will also enable us to compute the number of cubic feet of air that must be cooled from t_s to any desired temperature, as the freezing point, in order that the equivalent of one inch of rainfall may be condensed.

Finally, by dividing this last result by 5280, we shall obtain, in miles per hour, the velocity of an ascending current that will condense the equivalent of one inch of rainfall per hour.

Tables 10 and 157 of the Report of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, already quoted, will enable us to check our results. Table 10 gives the mean heights of the bases and tops of cumulus and cumulo-nimbus clouds, as determined from theodolite measurements at Washington, and Table 157 gives the fall in temperature from the surface to different heights, as determined from all available balloon observations.

The diagram of our several results is very instructive. (See fig. 1.) We notice at once that the 8 a. m. conditions give us t_s at a much lower altitude than the 2 p. m. conditions, and that in general the higher the surface temperature the greater the height at which the saturation temperature will be reached.

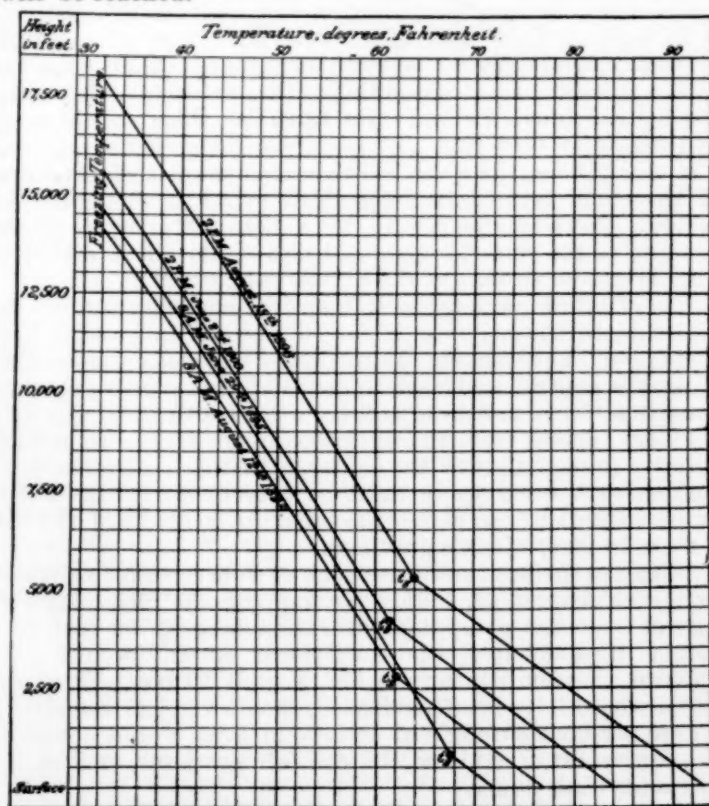


FIG 1.—Diagram showing adiabatic rates of cooling. (The dates June 29, 1895, and August 12, 1898, should be transposed).

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This is as we find it in nature, since the morning clouds form lower than the midday clouds, the height advancing with the temperature. But since the diurnal range of temperature is much greater at the surface than at the cloud level, the diurnal variation in the cloud heights is not nearly so marked as is indicated by the results of the computation.

It has been found, from the study of temperatures obtained by kite and balloon observations, that the actual vertical temperature gradient averages much less than the adiabatic rate of cooling, but approaches to it, and even passes it on warm summer afternoons. As soon as the air near the surface becomes heated to such an extent that the vertical temperature gradient exceeds the adiabatic rate of cooling, convectional currents will be set in motion. If sufficient moisture is present the ascending current will become saturated, a cumulus cloud will form, and the rate of cooling will be much retarded, as indicated by the change in the inclination of the lines on the diagram (fig. 1) at t_s . The velocity of the ascending current and the thickness of the cloud will depend not alone upon the overheating of the air near the surface, but also upon the amount of vapor present.

The following is the computation of our four cases by equations 145 and 146:

TABLE 4.—Adiabatic changes, computed from Bigelow's equations 145 and 146, and tables 94-99 for four cases at Washington, D. C.

	June 29, 1895.	August 13, 1896	August 12, 1898.	June 2, 1900.				
	8 a. m.	2 p. m.	8 a. m.	2 p. m.				
	Units of measure.							
	English.	Metric.	English.	Metric.				
Surface conditions.	B 30.16 t 77.0 e 0.616 $\frac{e}{B}$.0204	766.1 25.0 15.65 .0204	30.01 93.0 0.707 .0236	762.3 33.9 17.96 .0235	30.05 72.0 0.707 .0235	763.3 22.2 17.96 .0235	29.91 84.0 0.629 .0210	759.7 28.9 15.98 .0210
U_a , from equation 145 using surface B , t , and e .	Ia IIa Ca	+1.3703 -.4589 .9114	+1.3800 -.4592 .9208	+1.3707 -.4592 .9115	+1.3739 -.4585 .9154
Saturated conditions from equation 145.	ts 62.15 e' Ia Ca IIa Bs ht. $= h_s$ 2,815 e' B $\frac{e}{B - e'}$ μ abs. hum. 5.972	16.75 14.18 1.3636 .9114 -.4522 694 888......0204......0209 12.75 6.499	63.7 1.3672 -.4464 634 5,298......0236......0242 14.81 7.336	17.6 1.3690 -.4575 744 732......0235......0241 14.75 6.001	68.2 1.3690 -.4575 744 732......0235......0241 14.75 6.001	20.1 17.47 223 		

TABLE 4—Continued.
Heights at which other temperatures would be reached.

	June 29, 1895.		August 13, 1896.		August 12, 1898.		June 2, 1900.	
	8 a. m.		2 p. m.		8 a. m.		2 p. m.	
	Units of measure.							
	English.	Metric.	English.	Metric.	English.	Metric.	English.	Metric.
t' { A' { t'' { A'' { t''' { A''' {	58.6 6,327 46.4 8,996 39.2 11,545	12.0 1,898 8.0 2,742 4.0 3,519	58.6 9,570 46.4 12,498 39.2 15,160	12.0 2,917 8.0 3,808 4.0 4,631	59.0 4,492 50.0 8,114 41.0 11,474	15.0 1,369 10.0 2,473 5.0 3,497	53.6 7,520 46.4 10,328 39.2 12,959	12.0 2,392 8.0 3,148 4.0 3,950

TABLE 5.
Heights at which freezing temperature would be reached = h , as computed from Bigelow's Table 157.

h_b	14,764	4,500	17,716	5,400	18,701	5,700	12,189	3,700
$h_b - h_o'$	656	200	—154	—47	4,062	1,238	—3,476	—1,000

TABLE 6.—Summary.

	June 29, 1895.	August 13, 1896.	August 12, 1898.	June 2, 1900.
	8 a. m.	2 p. m.	8 a. m.	2 p. m.
(1) Percentage of vapor condensed between t_s and $t = 32^\circ \text{F.} = 100\% - \frac{h}{h_b}$	51%	52%	57%	50%
(2) Grains of vapor condensed in each cubic foot of air cooled from t_s to 32°F. , = absolute humidity at $t_s \times (1) \dots$	3.046	3.380	4.182	3.001
(3) Number of cubic feet of air that must rise from h_s to h_o' to condense the equivalent of one inch of rainfall = $(252.286 \times 144 = 36,329) \div (2) \dots$	11,937	10,748	8,687	12,106
(4) Velocity of ascending current at height h_s , in miles per hour, that would condense the equivalent of one inch of rainfall per hour = $(3) \div 5280 \dots$	2.26	2.04	1.65	2.29
(5) Velocity of ascending current at height h_s , in miles per hour, that would condense the equivalent of 5 inches of rainfall per hour = $(4) \times 5 \dots$	11.30	10.20	8.25	11.45

Mean height of base of cumulus clouds (Table 10) 1,182 meters.
Mean height of base of cumulo-nimbus clouds (Table 10) 1,750 meters.
Mean height of base of clouds computed from p. m. data, cases 2 and 4 1,455 meters.
Mean height of top of cumulo-nimbus clouds (Table 10) 4,965 meters.
Mean height of freezing temperature (Table 157) 4,825 meters.
Mean height of freezing temperature computed from p. m. data, cases 2 and 4 5,104 meters.

The values of h_b have been computed from the data in Table 157 which applies to high areas and clear weather. As a matter of fact, while the barometer was high on August 12, 1898, the entire day was cloudy, although only a few miles away the sky was only partly obscured, and little or no rain fell; on June 2, 1900, while the sun was shining until shortly before the rain began, the barometer was below the normal. We can not, therefore, consider the values of h_b to be very exact.

The comparison in Table 6 of the mean of our p. m. computed results with the determinations by both theodolite and balloon observations, indicates nothing in the results discordant with the conditions as they actually exist. It seems quite probable that convectional currents would have been maintained on these afternoons until a temperature of 32°F. was nearly or quite reached. In fact, a few hailstones fell on June 2, 1900.

The maximum temperature on June 29, 1895, was 87°F.

Had this value of t been substituted in equation 145 instead of the 8 a. m. t , our results would have shown that the conditions favored strong convectional currents on that day also. On the dates June 29, 1895, August 13, 1896, and June 2, 1900, the rain fell during a thunderstorm.

The rainfall of August 12, 1898, appears to have been of a different character. The maximum temperature of the day was 76°F. , and local surface conditions, except the high humidity, did not favor convectional currents, although favorable conditions may have existed at the cloud level. No electrical display accompanied this storm.

The results indicate that it is not unreasonable to attribute the rapid rates of rainfall experienced during thunderstorms to condensation by adiabatic cooling of ascending air. An ascending current of 10 or 12 miles per hour would account for the most rapid rate that occurred during any one of these storms. Indeed, it is not necessary to assume so high a velocity as this; for no doubt the vertical movement, like the horizontal, is quite irregular; and since it is capable of sustaining a quantity of condensed vapor, which, if the water drops are large, may vary approximately as the square of its velocity, it follows that during the periods of relatively slow upward movement the accumulation of raindrops would be allowed to fall, and the rate of precipitation would thereby be made to greatly exceed the rate of condensation. The size of the raindrops is probably an indication of the velocity of the ascending current in which they were formed and supported.

It must not be supposed that all the moisture condensed by adiabatic cooling falls to the earth as rain. In fact, the equations 145 and 146 are based on the supposition that all the moisture is retained. The dense cumulus clouds so frequently observed indicate that a very considerable amount of condensation frequently occurs without any precipitation. But if the convectional currents are at all active and the dew-point is high, as was the case on the days we have considered, there comes a time when the cloud space can retain no more moisture and any further condensation will result in rainfall.

In Bulletin No. I, 1899, of the Blue Hill Meteorological Observatory, Mr. H. Helm Clayton has computed that the precipitation from a current ascending with a velocity of 3.6 miles per hour, through a cloud layer 1,640 feet thick should occur at the rate of 0.12 inch per hour, the mean temperature of the cloud being 34.8°F. The temperature and thickness of the cloud layer were determined by a kite meteorograph record. It is interesting to note that his estimate of the velocity of the vertical current, based on its effect upon the kite, is one-tenth that of the horizontal current.

The effect of mountains in causing condensation of the moisture in the air that is forced upward in passing over them is well understood. In the well-developed cyclones that cross the central and eastern parts of this country there is usually a warm, moist current from the south in front, and a cold, dry current from the northwest in the rear, both moving spirally inward toward the center. As these currents push against each other there must be a tendency for the warm, moist current to rise above the other on account of the difference in their specific gravities.

With the surface conditions such as were recorded at Washington on August 12, 1898, if we suppose the cloud layer to extend from the computed saturation height, 732 feet, to a height of 4,492 feet, where adiabatic cooling would have reduced the temperature to 59°F. , and 20 per cent of the vapor would have been condensed, then a vertical velocity of 1 mile per hour throughout the cloud layer would condense the equivalent of 0.21 inch of rainfall per hour, or 5 inches in twenty-four hours.

But here again we must not commit the error of supposing that all the moisture condensed as cloud will fall as rain. Mr.

Clayton found on the day that the kite observations were made, on which he based his calculation, that the observed rate of precipitation was only one-tenth of the computed rate. He concluded that much of the condensed moisture was reabsorbed by the unsaturated lower layers of the atmosphere.

While this might be true with a saturation temperature of 34.8°F. , such as he observed, since the total amount of vapor present in the air would necessarily be small, as shown by Table 3, we can not suppose that any such proportion of the moisture condensed under conditions such as we have here considered would be so reabsorbed.

Undoubtedly there are many considerations that will contribute to reduce the precipitation to a rate much below that of condensation. Nevertheless, Professor Bigelow's tables for computing the adiabatic changes under various surface conditions have opened up to us a profitable field for study.

RAINFALL ON THE ISLAND OF ST. KITTS, W. I.

By W. H. ALEXANDER, Observer, Weather Bureau, dated Nov. 19, 1900.

This paper is the fulfilment of a purpose expressed in an article on the Climatology of St. Kitts, published in the REVIEW, Annual Summary, for 1899, and for obvious reasons the two should be considered together, the one being supplementary to the other.



FIG. 2.—Island of St. Kitts, W. I., latitude $17^{\circ} 18'$ north, longitude $62^{\circ} 48'$ west.

Explanatory.

B. Basseterre, the capital and chief town; location of U. S. Weather Bureau. O. R. Old Roads, a small village. B. H. Brimstone Hill, at one time a celebrated fortress. S. Pt. Sandy Point, a small village. D. B. Dieppe Bay, a small village. M. M. Mount Misery, an extinct volcano, about 4,100 feet high. S. P. Salt Pond. W. E. Wingfield Estate. M. E. Molyneux Estate. L. C. Lower Canada. U. C. Upper Canada. F. E. Fountain Estate. B. E. Brotherson Estate.

Attention is first invited to the careful consideration of the accompanying map of St. Kitts, which together with the descriptive matter found in the article in the Annual Summary, ought to give the reader a very clear idea of the contour and physical features of the island. Very great pains have been taken in the construction of this map, and it is believed to be entirely trustworthy for all purposes, being simply a reduced form of a map issued by the Admiralty of the English Government. Only such places as are referred to elsewhere in the text, and those of peculiar interest, have been noted on the map, the main purpose being to render more intelligible the divisions made of the island for this discussion. The guiding principle in the division was to group those estates similarly situated with reference to the hills and mountains, and so, if possible, arrive at some estimate of the local influences which obtain on the island with

regard to rainfall. We make four divisions as follows, viz:

1. *The north end.*—This includes all that portion of the island to the north of a line drawn, say, from Sandy Point (S. Pt.) in a nearly northeasterly direction, crossing the foot hills of the mountains and then to the sea. Roughly speaking, this embraces about twenty-eight per cent of the cultivated portion of the island. The rainfall in this district is, perhaps, the least influenced by the elevated portions of the island, or if at all, certainly very differently affected thereby. The average annual rainfall on this area, as determined by the records of the thirteen stations covering a number of years, is 68.51 inches, as indicated on the map, and also in Table 1. The greatest annual rainfall on record, 114.68 inches, occurred at Brotherson's estate, within this division, in 1898.

2. *The east side.*—This division embraces all the estates on the windward side of the island, and represents about twenty-seven per cent of all the cultivated portion of the island. The influence of the mountains upon the rainfall of this district is attested by a marked decrease of more than 13 inches in the yearly average from that of the north end, being only 55.28 inches. This decrease may be partly accounted for by a phenomenon frequently noticed, especially on days when strong convectional currents are present—the passing of the clouds around instead of over the mountains. For instance, a large cumulo-nimbus cloud may be seen approaching from the east, but as it nears the land it will be seen to change its course and pass either around the mountains or perhaps will be drawn over the depression in the mountain range of the main body of the island. As a result, we find a very heavy rainfall on both sides of this depression, as shown by the records of the two estates, Molyneux and Wingfield, given in the table. The clouds sometimes divide, one portion going north or south of the mountains, and the other over the depression just mentioned.

3. *The south end.*—This division includes the picturesque and fertile Valley of Basseterre, and is encircled on three sides by hills and mountains of heights varying from 400 to 1,300 feet, as shown on the map; it contains about twenty-nine per cent of the cultivated land of the island, and has the smallest average rainfall of the four districts, it being only 53.12 inches, or more than two inches below the east side and 15 inches below the north end.

4. *The west side.*—This division contains only about 16 per cent of the cultivated lands of the island and is situated on the leeward side of the great mountain range, which runs ridge-pole like through the central part of the main body of the island. The average for this district—66.10 inches—is not far below that of the north end. Perhaps the most interesting point in this district as regards our present discussion is that of the Wingfield estate mentioned above.

Taking the island as a whole the records seem to indicate an annual average of 59.25 inches, which is an appreciable increase upon the average given in the discussion in the Annual Summary for 1899, namely, 51.66 inches; which, however, was the average for Basseterre alone. The greatest downpour at any one time was that known as the flood of 1880, an account of which may be found on page 196 of the REVIEW for January, 1899. In addition to what has been said I will add a note found in Mr. Evelyn's old records made at the time of the flood. It reads:

Supposed that 36 inches fell during the time from 12 o'clock (noon) to 3 a. m. of 12th. Town flooded; immense damage to houses; 230 lives lost and missing.

The month of March, 1891, is the driest month on record. The average for the island was only 0.16 inch, whereas the normal amount for that month is about 1.57 inches. Attention is called to the fact that there is a difference of only 0.08 inch in the annual mean at Molyneux and Wingfield estates.

The former is on the windward side of the mountains about 700 feet above the sea and the latter is on the leeward side about 175 feet above the sea. Then again the records of Upper and Lower Canada are worthy of note. Here we have two estates similarly situated, except that one is about 400 feet higher than the other. As a result of this difference in elevation we see a marked and very uniform difference in the monthly and yearly means. See Table 2.

In the year 1899 the prevailing wind for each month in the year was from the east except for December, which was north-east. Or, to state it in another way, the wind was from the east during 54 per cent of the time and from the northeast during 32 per cent of the time. The prevailing winds, together with such other facts as may be gained from this and preceding papers on this subject, prepare the reader for an intelligent appreciation of the agencies which operate in producing and modifying the rainfall on the Island of St. Kitts.

The gages used at these stations were imported from England and appear to be well and scientifically constructed, there being a fixed and uniform ratio between the diameter of the funnel and the diameter of the graduated tube. The measurements are made with great care and regularity, the day, as a rule, is counted from 6 a. m. to 6 a. m., local time.

It only remains to be said with reference to Table 4 that it is the result of an effort to secure some mountain observations and is almost self explanatory. Fountain estate is about 850 feet above sea level and the only available place for such work. The owner, Miss Marshall, kindly consented to do the work if provided with instruments. Accordingly she was equipped with maximum, minimum, and dry thermometers, and these were duly installed on February 14, 1900, and the first observations were made on the following day. The observations were taken on seventy-fifth meridian time and were continued up to and including May 17, 1900. Only two observations were missed during the time. Unfortunately the maximum thermometer was broken at the end of the first week, so that no note is made of the readings of the maximum thermometer except for the one week. The corresponding data on record at this office for precisely the same time are also inserted in the table for the sake of comparison.

The data in Table 5 are fully explained in the foot note, and it only remains to say that the work was done at my request and by responsible parties.

TABLE 1.—Monthly and yearly means of rainfall within each of the four divisions into which the island is divided.

Divisions.	No. stations	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	For year.
North end	13	3.35	2.42	1.92	3.63	8.15	4.30	6.41	7.32	8.47	7.39	7.87	5.57	68.51
East side	15	3.00	1.96	1.33	3.12	6.45	3.40	5.01	6.98	7.46	7.31	6.94	4.49	55.28
South end	11	2.95	2.27	1.12	2.08	5.53	3.08	4.59	6.26	6.96	4.82	4.92	4.99	53.12
West side	7	4.18	2.53	1.91	2.30	4.41	3.64	6.07	7.37	6.84	6.66	6.45	5.50	66.10

NOTE.—The first column shows the number of stations upon whose records the means are based.

TABLE 2.—Monthly and annual means for certain estates which for local causes present interesting points.

Estates.	No. years.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	For year.
Brotherson's....	5	4.33	2.69	2.58	4.28	7.42	7.26	8.30	7.86	10.48	7.94	13.52	5.76	85.21
Molyneux	3	3.31	2.29	2.10	4.52	7.12	5.10	5.88	7.30	8.80	8.77	10.21	5.59	71.62
Lower Canada ..	18	2.47	1.57	1.66	2.56	4.31	3.78	3.94	5.76	5.96	4.91	5.05	3.04	45.01
Upper Canada ..	18	3.04	1.93	1.94	2.92	4.98	4.51	4.87	6.24	6.82	5.65	5.81	3.59	52.33
Wingfield	21	5.41	4.85	3.79	3.75	4.99	5.15	5.04	8.00	7.43	8.30	7.09	7.14	71.54
Basseterre	44	3.66	1.89	2.07	3.32	4.18	4.00	4.46	5.07	6.45	6.54	5.36	3.78	51.38

NOTE.—The number of years record involved is shown in first column. These estates are located on the accompanying map, fig. 2.

TABLE 3.—A comparative study of the rainfall on four of the Leeward Islands for the year 1895.

Islands.	No. stations	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	For year.
Montserrat.....	1	4.40	1.29	3.13	1.51	5.61	5.77	8.22	12.33	11.20	6.77	10.40	2.57	73.20
Antigua	69	2.30	0.51	1.45	2.30	7.94	1.57	3.65	6.46	7.41	5.13	5.08	8.83	52.91
Nevis	13	3.56	1.29	2.12	1.35	7.67	3.97	3.09	7.49	7.31	5.95	3.00	4.52	53.32
St. Kitts.....	35	2.66	1.41	1.13	2.00	9.86	2.66	4.82	7.54	8.48	4.94	3.14	6.41	56.61

NOTE.—The number of stations on each island reporting is shown in first column.

TABLE 4.—Results of simultaneous observations at two stations.

[The location of each station is shown on the map, fig. 2.]

FOUNTAIN ESTATE, ST. KITTS.

[Elevation about 850 feet above sea level.]

Months.	Temperature.						Precipitation.	
	Monthly mean.		Highest (obs.).	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Amount.	No. days with .01 inch or more.
	8 a. m.	Minimum.						
1900.	°	°	°		°		Inches.	
February	75.4	67.8	80	26	65	15	0.79	5
March	74.7	67.4	82	30	64	23	2.12	15
April	77.0*	68.7*	85	1, 24	64	7	4.98	20
May	79.1*	71.2*	84	12	70	5	1.28	11

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[Elevation 29 feet above sea level.]

February	78.2	73.5	80	26	70	28	0.15	2
March	77.4	72.7	83	30	69	12	1.04	5
April	78.2	73.0	86	28	68	19	2.64	18
May	80.8	75.2	82	3	68	14	0.42	7

*One observation missing.

TABLE 5.—Results of meteorological observations.

Time.	Estimated elevation.	Barometer (actual).	Thermometer.		Relative humidity.	Remarks.
			Dry.	Wet.		
	Feet.	Inches.	°	°		
8:30 a. m.	1,000	29.02	74.2	69.5	79	Open pasture; sun shining.
9:00 a. m.	1,500	28.52	68.0	67.0	95	Under a tree; cloudy.
9:30 a. m.	2,000	27.86	66.0	.....	.....	In the forest; sun shining.
10:30 a. m.	2,740	27.17	63.8	63.0	97	Lip of crater; low forest; overcast.
11:00 a. m.	2,150	27.75	65.0	65.0	100	Open land; bottom of crater; rained immediately after.
1:05 p. m.	3,100	26.75	.....	.....	.....	Lip of crater under the peak.

This table presents the results of meteorological observations made by Drs. Christian and Edmund Braush and Mr. George King on April 23, 1900, while exploring the crater of Mount Misery. The barometer used was an aneroid and was set the day before to read with the barograph at this station. The thermometers were supplied from this office.

NOTES ON LOCAL WHIRLWINDS IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

By SAMUEL W. KAIN.

The province of New Brunswick is very rarely visited by violent storms, and the undesirable phenomena due to atmospheric disturbances have been recorded only at long intervals.

The tornadoes and cloudbursts which are reported so often from the west and south are happily almost unknown here.

Still it must not be forgotten that we have had such storms. On August 17, 1898, a tornado of considerable violence swept over the parish of Dumfries, York County, and in the United States WEATHER REVIEW for March, 1898, I have described a cloudburst observed near Sussex on August 1, 1897.

It may therefore be of some interest to briefly describe a small whirlwind observed at 4 p. m. on the 24th of May, 1900, by Mr. Keith A. Barber. While Mr. Barber was standing by the side of a pool of water about six miles from Clarendon

Station, Charlotte County, he heard in the distance a shrieking, whistling sound; this continued to increase in intensity, and turning to seek a cause he noticed a whirlwind advancing from the hills, its course indicated by the swaying shrubs and a noise somewhat like that produced by a express train, but not so loud. It struck the pool about three feet from the shore, and raised the water in a foaming mass of froth and spume to a height of 5 feet, and crossing threw the water upon the farther shore. Its path across the pool was about 15 feet wide. Mr. Barber was standing about one hundred feet from the path of the whirlwind. The sky was clear all day. In the morning there were a few light clouds, but after 2 p. m. the sky was cloudless.

The wind was northeast till noon, then shifted to southwest and south. It was light all day. The barometer was steady; at 8 a. m., 30.081; at 2 p. m., 30.129; at 8 p. m., 30.185. In St. John the highest temperature was 65° F., but at Clarendon the temperature was probably about 5° higher, the preceding days had been cold, and the change in temperature was considerable and rapid.

A very similar phenomenon was observed on Wednesday, June 14, at Grassy Lake, Kings County.

Dr. Colter, post office inspector, and Mr. Richard Magee, of the railway mail service, were fishing from a moored boat on the lake. It was a fine, clear day, and a good breeze was blowing when about 2 o'clock in the afternoon they heard a roaring in the woods, and with a rushing noise a few hundred feet from them the water of the lake commingled with reeds, lillies, and mud was torn up and hurled into the air, forming a waterspout apparently about 30 feet in diameter.

It lasted about two minutes, and for about that time the air seemed somewhat darkened. The violence of the wind drew their boat from its moorings in among the reeds, and it was fortunate that they were far enough from the path of the whirlwind to escape any more serious results.

LIGHTNING FROM A CLOUDLESS SKY.

By CHARLES E. ASHCRAFT, JR., Weather Bureau, Roseau, Dominica, W. I., dated November 14, 1900.

The phenomenon of lightning from a cloudless sky seems to be regarded in the States as one of very rare occurrence, as it very likely is. I can not remember of ever observing it while in the States, but down here in the West Indies it is of very frequent occurrence, so frequent in fact that it is not regarded as remarkable by the people. When first I saw this phenomenon after arriving in the tropics it caused me considerable wonder, and I was also in doubt as to whether it was real lightning or not. So I made inquiries among the residents and found to my surprise that it occasioned no wonder to them, and they evidently failed to understand why it should to me. Subsequently I have observed it numerous times, till finally the novelty has worn off, and I, like the residents, accept it now as only an ordinary occurrence. However, I believe this letter is justified, inasmuch as the phenomenon is rare in the States and any information relating thereto may be welcome.

The appearance of the flash is that of sheet lightning, generally single flashes being seen at intervals of from two to five minutes, and again only two or three occasional flashes will be seen during an evening. They do not seem to be confined to any particular quarter of the sky for local reasons, as I have observed them in all quarters. I do not think flashes are due to falling meteors, but they may be the reflected flashes of distant thunderstorms, although a clear sky certainly does not offer so good a reflecting surface as a clouded one. However, I am inclined to believe that the theory of the exchange of electricities between vertical currents of air is a very plausible explanation for the following reasons: In

the first place the phenomenon has *always* been observed in the evening, usually between 7 and 9 p. m., never before 7, I believe, but several times after 9 o'clock. As this latitude is free from the disturbing effects of ever-passing areas of high and low pressure, the diurnal phases of the weather are therefore very constant and much alike from day to day. So that ordinarily between 7 and 9 p. m. the temperature falls, cool breezes spring up, a rapid clearing condition sets in, the clouds disappearing sometimes like magic, and by 9 p. m. the sky is usually clear. Now, it is always at this time when the colder currents of air are descending, causing the cool breezes and clearing condition and setting up a vertical circulation with steep gradients, that the lightning is seen. Sometimes the sky is not absolutely clear, a few clouds nearly always hanging over the mountains to the east of station, but the lightning will be seen far out to sea, perhaps, to the westward, where not the least vestige of cloud is visible. Then it is about this time in the evening that the maximum electrification of the air occurs, and in view of the fact that the lightning always occurs at the one time, is it not probable that the exchange of electricities between the descending and ascending currents having different temperatures and humidities, and therefore different electrical potentials, is the cause thereof.

I may add that these lightning flashes have been observed more frequently during the hurricane season, but just what weather conditions prevailed on the dates of occurrence I am unable to say, as I failed to make note of the dates. Furthermore, the phenomenon can not be peculiar to the region of Dominica alone, as I have talked to a number of persons who have lived long in tropical parts, and they are all agreed that lightning from a clear sky is no uncommon thing. By way of suggestion it might be worth while to question the observers of the West Indian and other tropical stations on the matter, and in this way considerable information might be adduced.

MEXICAN CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA.

Through the kind cooperation of Señor Manuel E. Pastrana Director of the Central Meteorologic-Magnetic Observatory the monthly summaries of Mexican data are now communicated in manuscript, in advance of their publication in the Boletín Mensual. An abstract, translated into English measures, is here given, in continuation of the similar tables published in the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW since 1896. The barometric means have not been reduced to standard gravity, but this correction will be given at some future date when the pressures are published on our Chart IV.

Mexican data for November, 1900.

Stations.	Altitude.	Mean barometer.	Temperature.			Relative humidity.	Precipitation.	Prevailing direction.	
			Max.	Min.	Mean.			Wind.	Cloud.
Leon (Guanajuato)...	5,004	24.35	79.3	37.6	60.8	59	1.01	n.	e.
Mazatlan	25	29.93	85.8	68.4	77.2	74	.....	nw.	nw.
Mexico (Obs. Cent.)...	7,472	23.10	74.3	40.1	57.0	57	0.32	n.	ne.
Morelia (Seminario)...	6,401	24.02	74.8	42.8	57.7	67	1.28	w.	w.
Puebla (Col. Cat.)....	7,112	23.43	76.8	39.0	60.8	65	0.59	e.	w.
Puebla (Col. d'E.)....	7,116	23.34	78.4	45.3	63.1	64	0.71	ene.	sw.
Saltillo (Col. S. Juan)...	5,399	24.84	78.8	39.2	56.8	81	1.65	ne.	n.
San Luis Potosí.....	6,202	24.15	78.8	40.5	58.8	67	1.44	e.	e.
Tampico.....	38	30.08	86.0	52.2	71.6	72	0.38	se.	.....

OBSERVATIONS AT HONOLULU.

Through the kind cooperation of Mr. Curtis J. Lyons, Meteorologist to the Government Survey, the monthly report of meteorological conditions at Honolulu is now made partly in.

accordance with the new form, No. 1040, and the arrangement of the columns, therefore, differs from those previously published.

Meteorological Observations at Honolulu, November, 1900.

The station is at 21° 18' N., 157° 50' W.
Hawaiian standard time is 10^h 30^m slow of Greenwich time. Honolulu local mean time is 10^h 31^m slow of Greenwich.
Pressure is corrected for temperature and reduced to sea level, and the gravity correction, -0.06, has been applied.
The average direction and force of the wind and the average cloudiness for the whole day are given unless they have varied more than usual, in which case the extremes are given. The scale of wind force is 0 to 12, or Beaufort scale. Two directions of wind, or values of wind force, or amounts of cloudiness, connected by a dash, indicate change from one to the other.
The rainfall for twenty-four hours is measured at 9 a. m. local, or 7.31 p. m., Greenwich time, on the respective dates.
The rain gage, 8 inches in diameter, is 1 foot above ground. Thermometer, 9 feet above ground. Ground is 45 feet, and the barometer 50 feet above sea level.

Date.	Pressure at sea level.		Temperature.		During twenty-four hours preceding 1 p. m., Greenwich time, or 2.39 a. m., Honolulu time.								Total rainfall at 9 a. m., local time.
	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Temperature.		Means.		Wind.		Average cloudiness.	Sea-level pressures.			
			Maximum.	Minimum.	Dew-point.	Relative humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Force.		Maximum.	Minimum.		
1.....	29.97	75	68	80	70	66.3	70	ne.	6-4	5	30.02	29.94	0.05
2.....	30.04	74	67	80	74	65.7	68	ne.	3	3	30.08	29.95	0.19
3.....	30.05	70	66.5	79	69	62.7	66	ne.	6-4	5-3	30.11	30.03	0.60
4.....	30.02	71	64	78	67	62.5	72	ne.	4-5	8-5	30.11	30.02	0.13
5.....	30.01	71	64	78	66	60.7	64	ne.	3	5	30.07	29.97	0.05
6.....	29.98	72	64.5	78	68	62.3	68	ne-nne.	2-0	2-6	30.04	29.95	0.07
7.....	29.94	73	66	78	69	63.0	70	nne.	3	3	30.04	29.93	0.03
8.....	29.89	65	63	78	68	64.3	72	nne.	1-3-0	10	29.95	29.88	0.00
9.....	29.89	75	68	79	65	65.3	78	sw.	1-0	6	29.94	29.84	0.00
10.....	29.96	72	62.5	77	72	61.5	63	n-nne.	4-6	5-2	29.98	29.91	0.00
11.....	30.01	73	63	76	72	55.7	53	nne.	6	2-5	30.06	29.95	0.00
12.....	30.00	72	63	74	72	59.3	63	n-ne.	3-4	8	30.08	29.89	0.10
13.....	29.90	69	63.5	72	72	58.7	60	ne.	3-0	3	30.02	29.89	0.02
14.....	29.79	72	66	77	67	61.0	67	nne.	2-0	8-3	29.91	29.79	0.00
15.....	29.60	76	74	77	69	67.0	83	nne-s.	2-0-3	10	29.79	29.61	2.50
16.....	29.69	73	72.5	79	72	73.3	89	sw.	3-5	10	29.73	29.57	1.50
17.....	29.84	73	70	78	71	70.0	91	s-sw.	0-1	10-7	29.86	29.71	0.03
18.....	29.86	75	73	81	69	74.0	86	s-sw.	3-0	9-7	29.89	29.80	0.02
19.....	29.98	76	74.5	81	73	74.3	88	sw.	2	8	29.99	29.88	0.01
20.....	29.98	68	67.5	83	76	72.5	86	sw.	2-0	7-0	30.02	29.94	0.00
21.....	29.95	70	68.7	84	68	69.7	88	sw.	1-0	1-6-0	30.02	29.95	0.00
22.....	29.94	68	67	84	68	69.5	85	sw.	1-0	4	29.98	29.89	0.00
23.....	29.96	69	67.5	83	67	69.7	85	sw-w.	1-0	0-5	29.98	29.90	0.02
24.....	29.94	74	69	80	67	67.3	79	nw-nne.	0-4	6	30.00	29.90	0.03
25.....	29.94	74	66.5	78	73	66.7	73	ene.	4-2	9-10	30.02	29.93	0.30
26.....	29.84	72	71.3	77	71	67.7	81	ne.	2	10	29.99	29.89	5.45
27.....	29.89	70	69.3	75	71	71.7	96	ne-w.	1-0	10	29.94	29.86	0.23
28.....	29.90	69	68.3	80	70	70.7	89	s.	1-0	7-10	29.93	29.85	0.00
29.....	29.93	75	69.5	80	69	69.3	84	sw-ne.	1-2	10-7	29.96	29.88	0.00
30.....	29.94	72	67	80	72	67.0	75	ne.	2-0	7-3	29.99	29.89	0.00
Sums.....													11.30
Means.	29.921	71.9	67.6	78.8	69.9	66.3	76.6	.....	2.9	5.7	29.983	29.892	.....
Departure..	-0.028					+0.6	0.0	.....	+1.1				+5.78

Mean temperature for November, 1900 (6+2+9) ÷ 3 = 74.1; normal is 73.8. Mean pressure for November, 1900 (0+3) ÷ 2 = 29.929; normal is 29.957.
*This pressure is as recorded at 1 p. m., Greenwich time. †These temperatures are observed at 6 a. m., local, or 4.31 p. m., Greenwich time. ‡These values are the means of (6+9+2+9) ÷ 4. §Beaufort scale.

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W. F. R. PHILLIPS, in charge of Library, etc.

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CLIMATE OF SPOKANE, WASH.

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Spokane is situated in eastern Washington, in latitude 47° 40' north, longitude 117° 25' west, between the Rocky and Cascade mountains, at an elevation of about 1,900 feet above the sea level.

The United States Weather Bureau office in Spokane was established February 1, 1881, giving up to date, April, 1900, meteorological records for over eighteen years. In the preparation of the accompanying tables only whole years have been considered, leaving out the years 1881 and 1900, thus giving a record for eighteen years, from 1882 to 1899, both years inclusive.

Owing to limited space, it is not practicable to remark fully upon these tables, and we shall, therefore, simply make a few statements, principally bearing upon hygiene.

In comparing climates many people are inclined to be satisfied with a mere knowledge of the mean temperature, extremes of temperature, and, perhaps, the precipitation at a place; forgetting that several places may have an equality of temperature in every respect, etc., yet, owing to other important meteorological factors, differ widely as to climate.

The higher temperatures are shown to have risen above 90° each year, rising as high as 104°, August 8, 1898; this might lead one unacquainted with the climate of Spokane to suppose that prostration from heat, sunstroke, occurs at this place, but such is not the case; on the contrary, little inconvenience seems to accompany temperatures in this place that in other places induce prostration from heat, sunstroke is entirely unknown here, save by name.

There are two climatic factors worthy of particular attention with regard to Spokane, viz, the mean daily change of temperature, and the sensible temperature. The mean daily

change of temperature is the change from the mean temperature of one day to that of the following day. This change is sometimes known as variability of temperature, and is most important in determining the character of a climate; the more equable climates have the smallest changes of mean daily temperature. At Spokane the mean daily change of temperature for several years is 3.7°. This shows that the transition from cold of winter to heat of summer, or vice versa, occurs gradually by comparatively small changes of mean daily temperature from day to day. Sudden, violent changes of temperature seldom occur here.

In order to understand what is meant by sensible temperature let us take the definition given in the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW, 1895, p. 93; 1898, p. 362; and 1899, p. 18.

The sensible temperature experienced by the human body and attributed to the atmosphere, depends not merely upon the temperature of the air, but equally upon the dryness and the wind. The temperature of the wet bulb thermometer, as obtained by the whirling apparatus used in a shaded shelter, corresponds to the temperature felt by persons standing in the shade of trees or houses, exposed to a natural breeze of at least 6 miles per hour. This temperature and its depression below

the dry bulb are the fundamental data for all investigations into the relation between human physiology and the atmosphere.

There is no difference in construction between the dry bulb and wet bulb thermometers, excepting that the thermometer selected as wet bulb has its bulb carefully covered with specially prepared muslin, and is dipped in pure water before observation, hence the terms dry bulb and wet bulb, for the purpose of indicating which thermometer is meant. Immediately after dipping in water evaporation may set in from the bulb of the wet thermometer. This evaporation produces lowering of temperature, and the drier the air the greater the difference between the readings of the wet bulb and the dry bulb, the reading of the latter indicating the temperature of the air.

To fully appreciate the hygienic value of a comparatively low sensible temperature during the warm seasons, consider the afternoon observation taken at Spokane, August 2, 1895. The temperature was 94° in the shade, and the temperature of the wet thermometer, or sensible temperature, was only 62°; that is, a person in good health and in the shade experienced only

Climatological data for Spokane, Wash., for eighteen years, 1882 to 1899.

Year.	*Barometer.			Temperature.				Rainfall and melted snow.		Distribution of rain during period critical for agriculture.			Wind.	
	Mean height.	Highest.	Lowest.	Mean annual.	Highest.	Lowest.	Annual range.	Total amount.	Agricultural year, greater part of September-June, ten months.	May.	June.	July.	Prevailing direction.	Highest hourly velocity.
Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	°	°	°	°	Inches.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	Miles.	
1882.....	29.01	29.08	27.33	46.5	101.5	-17.0	118.5	25.99	1881-82 23.01	1.54	1.17	0.88	sw.	44
1883.....	29.01	29.08	27.33	46.8	96.7	-27.7	124.4	14.37	1882-83 22.06	2.11	0.60	0.00	sw.	37
1884.....	29.06	29.02	27.11	45.5	97.5	-17.8	115.3	20.56	1883-84 14.59	0.56	2.58	1.06	sw.	29
1885.....	29.06	29.50	27.43	50.1	99.3	-14.0	113.3	19.01	1884-85 18.84	1.53	3.40	0.39	sw.	33
1886.....	29.06	29.59	27.36	48.7	100.3	-10.5	110.8	15.86	1885-86 15.21	0.92	0.56	0.37	sw.	42
1887.....	29.06	29.61	27.15	47.2	97.3	-11.0	108.3	20.10	1886-87 18.69	1.06	2.07	1.41	sw.	31
1888.....	29.00	29.75	27.47	48.7	101.8	-30.5	132.3	17.69	1887-88 18.40	1.24	5.12	0.06	sw.	30
1889.....	29.00	29.57	27.41	49.1	96.0	-10.0	106.0	14.27	1888-89 12.35	1.70	0.39	0.46	sw.	30
1890.....	29.07	29.63	27.35	47.4	102.0	-23.0	125.0	16.57	1889-90 19.45	1.58	1.98	0.38	sw.	48
1891.....	29.06	29.58	27.38	49.0	97.0	-10.0	107.0	16.69	1890-91 12.35	0.60	3.28	1.12	sw.	48
1892.....	29.06	29.45	27.34	48.4	96.0	-5.0	101.0	16.78	1891-92 14.45	2.40	0.73	1.22	s.	36
1893.....	29.07	29.60	27.32	45.7	99.1	-19.0	118.1	22.00	1892-93 20.08	2.50	0.42	0.36	s.	36
1894.....	29.07	29.61	27.32	48.2	97.5	-1.9	99.4	17.84	1893-94 20.09	1.01	1.13	0.29	sw.	39
1895.....	29.00	29.52	27.37	48.0	95.0	-8.0	87.0	13.46	1894-95 12.66	1.58	0.42	0.42	sw.	42
1896.....	29.06	29.56	27.33	48.6	100.0	-13.0	113.0	20.82	1895-96 14.78	2.29	0.73	0.17	sw.	37
1897.....	29.06	29.56	27.34	48.2	100.0	-3.0	97.0	23.84	1896-97 21.43	1.05	3.51	0.98	sw.	37
1898.....	29.07	29.62	27.46	48.2	104.0	-2.0	106.0	13.08	1897-98 18.64	1.63	1.21	0.43	s.	41
1899.....	29.04	29.50	27.32	47.2	98.0	-21.0	119.0	20.08	1898-99 13.27	1.02	0.56	0.30	s.	36
Average..	27.97	29.75†	26.98‡	47.9	104.0	-30.5	111.2	18.28	17.24	1.46	1.66	0.57	sw.	48

Year.	Number of days.						Thunderstorms.	Number of days and month in which temperature fell below zero.	Winters during which the temperature did not fall below zero.	Mean daily change in temperature.	Average hourly velocity of wind.	Frost.			
	Clear.	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy.	0.01 inch or more rain or snowfall.	Temperature rose above 90°.	Temperature fell below 32°.						Last.		First.	
												Killing.	Light.	Light.	Killing.
1882.....	92	132	141	141	17	121	68.6	8, Jan.	.....	.....	.....	Mar. 20	May 20	Sept. 30	Nov. 2
1883.....	181	126	58	94	14	136	67.1	6, Jan.; 11, Feb.	.....	.....	.....	Mar. 16	Apr. 5	Nov. 2	Oct. 3
1884.....	113	151	97	123	10	128	69.4	7, Feb.; 9, Dec.	.....	.....	.....	Apr. 18	May 13	Sept. 12	Sept. 7
1885.....	141	137	87	116	15	84	75.5	4, Jan.	.....	.....	.....	Mar. 19	Apr. 23	Nov. 3	Oct. 5
1886.....	176	114	75	104	14	113	70.6	6, Jan.	.....	.....	.....	Mar. 2	Apr. 5	Sept. 28	Oct. 10
1887.....	105	153	107	136	15	137	73.2	8, Jan.	.....	.....	.....	Mar. 4	May 7	Sept. 22	Sept. 20
1888.....	98	111	157	106	28	115	68.4	4, Jan.	.....	.....	.....	Apr. 17	May 21	Sept. 23	Oct. 18
1889.....	74	139	149	97	19	115	64.0	5, Jan.	1888-9	3.7	.....	Feb. 19	Apr. 17	Sept. 24	none ..
1890.....	98	130	147	117	14	122	62.0	5, Jan.; 4, Feb.	.....	3.7	4.1	Jan. 11	May 30	Sept. 12	none ..
1891.....	82	122	161	123	17	108	61.0	3, Mar.	.....	3.7	5.3	June 8	May 9	Oct. 1	Nov. 13
1892.....	104	124	138	119	10	103	62.0	2, Jan.	.....	3.4	5.5	Feb. 18	May 4	Oct. 16	Sept. 21
1893.....	78	105	182	144	12	123	68.0	1, Jan.; 3, Feb.	.....	3.8	5.8	Jan. 15	June 30	Aug. 10	Oct. 14
1894.....	62	118	185	137	19	107	64.2	6, Jan.; 2, Feb.	1894-5	3.9	6.5	Apr. 3	June 11	Sept. 23	none ..
1895.....	81	120	158	98	8	121	60.0	5, none	1895-6	3.6	6.1	none ..	June 14	Sept. 6	none ..
1896.....	97	99	170	118	23	92	63.3	3, Nov.	.....	3.4	6.0	Apr. 30	May 27	Sept. 16	Oct. 27
1897.....	118	69	178	134	17	119	66.0	8, none	1897-8	4.0	5.6	Apr. 12	Apr. 27	Sept. 9	Oct. 3
1898.....	131	97	137	101	31	119	62.0	7, Dec.	.....	3.5	6.2	May 7	May 24	Oct. 1	Oct. 5
1899.....	90	112	163	134	8	95	65.0	5, Jan.; 4, Feb.	1899-00	3.9	6.4	Mar. 17	May 15	Sept. 7	Oct. 14
Average..	107	130	138	118	16	114	66.1	6	.....	3.7	5.8	Mar. 21	May 13	Sept. 24	Oct. 10

* Barometer corrected for instrumental error and temperature (actual atmospheric pressure).

† Highest. ‡ Lowest. The dash (—) indicates temperature below zero.

a temperature of 62°, although the air temperature at the time was 94°, a difference of 32° between the air temperature and the sensible temperature. This is worthy of notice, as it is somewhat explanatory of the freedom from prostration from heat sunstroke, for which this section is noted. The sensible temperature is influenced by the relative humidity, and the low relative humidity during the warm portions of the year is one of the most important factors in freedom from sunstroke at Spokane.

The preceding meteorological data are taken from the eighth annual report of the Board of Health of Spokane, Wash., for the year ending December 31, 1899.

The above tabular statement gives the average relative humidity for this place as 66.1 per cent, but during the warmer months of the year the relative humidity often falls in the afternoon, about the warmest part of the day, to as low as 10 per cent, sometimes lower. For example, at the afternoon observation (taken in Spokane at 5 p. m., Pacific time), August 16, 17, and 18, 1895, the relative humidity was respectively 8, 7, and 5 per cent, but at the morning observation (5 a. m., Pacific time), August 17, 18, and 19, the relative humidity had risen to 51, 52, and 53 per cent, showing that the air does not remain long enough dry to be hurtful in some respects.

Each year, excepting the years 1895 and 1897, the temperature has fallen below zero at Spokane, but it is also shown that during the winters of 1888-89, 1894-95, 1895-96, 1897-98, and 1899-1900, the temperature did not fall as low as zero at this place. The lowest temperature recorded at Spokane since the opening of the Weather Bureau office here was 30.5° below zero, January 16, 1888, but it should be borne in mind in this connection that the winter of 1887-88 was one of great severity throughout the whole country. The lower temperatures do not prevail for many days at a time, but have days with much higher temperature between them.

The prevailing winds are from the southwest, and have a marked influence in tempering the cold of winter or heat of summer. The greatest velocity of wind ever recorded at Spokane was 48 miles per hour, once in 1890 and once in 1891, lasting for about five minutes each time; this place has remarkable freedom from violent winds, due in a great measure to the topography of the surrounding country.

Thunderstorms are rare and seldom if ever of the violent kind experienced in the Eastern States, many of the thunderstorms recorded in the following table have been reported for only a peal or two of distant thunder.

It has been estimated by agricultural experts that from 15 to 20 inches of precipitation per year suffice for the production of good crops in the agricultural sections near Spokane. Weather Bureau reports referring to Washington and Oregon indicate that "Agricultural operations are more fruitful with a small rainfall than in some sections of other States with considerably larger precipitation." An examination of the preceding table which shows the amount of precipitation for the greater part of the agricultural year indicates that a sufficiency of precipitation for agricultural needs has always fallen in this section; and the same table shows that in general the rainfall has been well distributed during the period critical for agriculture.

The actual atmospheric pressure given in the first part of the tabular statement should be of interest to physicians and others from a physiological point of view.

FOG STUDIES ON MOUNT TAMALPAIS.

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In a previous paper attention was called to the prevalence of fog on the central coast of California, especially in the

vicinity of the Bay of San Francisco. A few illustrations of fog drifts as photographed at the Weather Bureau observatory on Mount Tamalpais were given in the July issue of the MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW. The differences in temperature, humidity, and air motion are so marked within comparatively small distances, both horizontally and vertically, in the bay district, that it seemed advisable to tabulate in comparative form the meteorological elements for a year at the higher station (elevation approximately half a mile) and the station at sea level. The present paper aims to present, with some photographic evidence of fog forms and drifts, a rough study of the air drainage of the locality, in which fog streams and counter streams are of such frequent occurrence that they serve excellently as exponents of air motion. The topography of the section is remarkable, because of the close juxtaposition of ocean, bay, mountain, and foothill. A valley, level as a table, 450 miles long and 50 miles wide, having afternoon temperatures of 100° or over, is connected by a narrow water passage with the Pacific Ocean, the mean temperature of the water in this locality being 55°. Thus within a distance of 50 miles in a horizontal direction there is frequently a difference of 50° in temperature, while in a vertical direction there is often a difference of 30° in elevation of half a mile. High bluffs, ridges, and headlands are at such an angle to the prevailing strong westerly surface air currents that an air stream is forced with increased velocity through the Golden Gate, and there must of necessity be considerable piling up of both air and water vapor at this point. The locality may indeed be considered as a natural laboratory, in which experiments connected with cloudy condensation of water vapor are daily wrought, and it is therefore of more than passing interest to the meteorologist.

Much faithful work has been done in physical laboratories on the behavior of water vapor at varying volumes, pressures, and temperatures. Regnault, Thomson, Broch, Aitken, Kiessling, R. von Helmholtz, Hertz, Rayleigh, von Bezold, Barus, Marvin, and others have worked upon the change of state from vapor to liquid and from liquid to solid, and while many irregularities are noted in the behavior of water vapor, the general problems of decreasing volumes and increasing pressures until condensation points are reached, have been solved; and it is well understood that the vapor-liquid and liquid-solid condensations are in themselves but two phases in a chain of condensation phenomena. The problem of fog is therefore a limited one. It may be considered as a special case of cloud development, occurring in the first and second stages of Hertz, viz, the unsaturated and saturated stages. Condensation in the free air, as in these fog formations, takes place under conditions different from those obtaining in the laboratory. There are no fixed restraining walls, though the strongly stratified outlines suggest sharply limited air streams. Again saturation as it occurs in free, constantly changing air and true adiabatic saturation are not identical. Saturation in the free air must be studied under disadvantageous circumstances, for the work must be done at a distance, with instruments neither sufficiently delicate nor accurate, and there is no control of conditions possible. In passing, it may be noted that, except for traces of salt, the air of the section under consideration is partially filtered, as it presumably comes from off the broad ocean and is as free from land dust and smoke as normal air can be. Off-shore winds are infrequent and light.

An attempt has been made at the Mount Tamalpais station to correlate the surface pressure conditions with fog. There are, however, many different types of fog. The conditions prevailing in winter, when tule fog, formed in the great valleys, drifts slowly seaward, are very different from those prevailing in summer, when the sea fog is carried inland. A typical pressure distribution accompanying sea fogs has been

recognized. In general, a movement southward along the coast of an area of high pressure in summer means fresh northerly winds and high temperatures in the interior of the State, with brisk, westerly winds, laden with fog, on the coast.

A kite meteorograph at the station has been used frequently in the following way: A descent from the station to sea level can be made by the train, a distance of 8 miles, in fifty minutes. The meteorograph was attached near the top of an open canopied car, insuring a good circulation, and carried in this way a number of times through the fog. We make in this way a rough cross section of the fog.

In fig. 1, Plate I, is shown perhaps the most common type of fog. It may be of interest to compute roughly the weight of water vapor existing under such conditions. From a number of records, a fair average dew-point temperature is 51°F . (10.6°C). It is estimated that an area 10 miles east and west and an equal distance north and south is covered with fog. The upper level of the fog may be taken as half a mile. If the fog were solidly packed, we could not be much in error if we estimated its bulk at 50 cubic miles.

There are, therefore, $5280^3 \times 50$ cubic feet of water vapor at a mean temperature of 51°F . A cubic foot of vapor at this temperature weighs 4.222 grains, and we therefore have as a gross weight 2,219,535 tons of 2,000 pounds each. But most generally the fog disappears between sea level and 1,200 to 1,500 feet altitude, and there are also wide swaths or channels fog free. The amount given above, therefore, would need to be cut in two, and a liberal estimate of the weight of the water vapor in a fog outside the Heads is 1,000,000 tons. This is carried through the Golden Gate by westerly winds, blowing 22 miles per hour, from 1 to 5 p. m.

For each square mile of surface there would be about 10,000 tons of water vapor and for each acre about 15.63 tons. This is equivalent to a rainfall of 0.14 inch.

In Waldo's *Modern Meteorology*¹ an example in the use of Hertz's graphical tables for following the changes in a given quantity of water vapor under varying conditions is given. With little change, the problem will apply in this case.

At San Francisco the mean actual pressure is 29.87 inches (758.7 mm.) and at Tamalpais 27.55 inches (699.8 mm.); the elevation of the latter station is 724 meters, and the former is practically at sea level.

With a pressure of 750 mm. and a temperature of 27°C . (80°F .), a given mass of air, half saturated, lifted upward under adiabatic conditions, will not change its initial 11 grams of water contents per kilogram, until at an elevation of 640 meters, when condensation would begin. At an elevation of 700 meters, the pressure being 687 mm., the temperature would be 19.3°C . (67°F .).

At 640 meters the dew-point would be 13.3° (56°F .) or 2.5° lower than the initial dew-point 15.8° (60°F .), the difference being due to the increased volume. At 1,000 meters the temperature would be 8.2°C . (49°F .), or at a rate of 0.51°C . decrease per 100 meters elevation.

It is pointed out, however, that in all theoretical values the assumption is made that the kilogram of mixed air and water vapor retains its mass unchanged, but this can not be the case with a mixture in free air performing a journey of any extent. It is also to be remembered that in the actual case before us the horizontal movements of the given mass would be of far more significance than the vertical movements.

In von Bezold's third paper on the Thermodynamics of the Atmosphere (see *Mechanics of the Atmosphere*, pp. 257-288), the effect of mixing different air masses is considered. If two masses of saturated air at 0°C . and 20°C ., respectively, and

at 700 mm. pressure are thoroughly mixed, the greatest amount of rainfall that can occur is 0.75 gram per kilogram of air and water vapor. The temperature of the mixture will be 11°C . (52°F .). The warmer mixture would have yielded the same amount of rainfall by raising it 310 meters or cooling it 1.6°C . by elevation and 0.8°C . by contact.

Direct cooling by contact or radiation is shown by von Bezold to be more efficient as a cause of rainfall than cooling by mixture, but in the production of fog it is probable that cooling by mixture (except in the case of ground fogs) is the most important factor to be considered. It is to be noted that reverse pressures should also be studied, for perhaps a close watch upon the conditions prevailing when fog is rapidly dissipating might conversely throw light upon the order and relative importance of the three ways of cooling, viz, mixture, expansion, and radiation.

Von Bezold's deductions may be thus summarized: More vapor condenses when a stream of air and vapor at low temperature impinges on a mass of warmer air than with reversed conditions. Ocean fogs as a rule form when cool air flows over warm, moist surfaces, but in the case under discussion, where the ocean surface temperature is 13°C . (55°F .) and the air temperature may reach 27°C . (80°F .), it is evident that the above does not hold. It is more probable that condensation is the result of the sharp temperature contrasts at the boundaries of certain air currents having different temperatures, humidities, and velocities, and that the contours of the land play an important part in originating and directing these air currents. The summer afternoon fogs of the San Francisco Bay region then are probably due to mixture, more than radiation or expansion. The winter tule fogs of the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys are probably pure types of radiation fog, where the process of cloud building is from the cooled ground upward. Occasionally in summer, when the warm air has been pumped out of the valleys and there is rapid radiation, ground fog forms. An illustration of this is given in fig. 2, Plate I, where fog covers a number of valleys. Summer sea fog is shown in fig. 3, Plate II, and, as said above, is probably due to mixture. The wave motions or Luft Wogen of von Helmholtz are shown in fig. 4, Plate II, and also the surgings or splashings, where a certain condensation results from the mechanical uplifting.

THE WATER SUPPLY FOR THE SEASON OF 1900 AS DEPENDING ON SNOWFALL.

On November 9 the Chief of Bureau called for reports from the section directors for Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming on the water supply of the last season, the value of snow data published in special snow bulletins, and the verification of any predictions based upon the experience of past seasons. The replies summarize the work done in the respective sections, and especially the data published in the special bulletins and the ice and snow charts of the Climate and Crop Division during the early spring of 1900. No better method of presenting this important subject to our readers could be desired than the publication of these excellent reports, which follow herewith. The importance of forecasting the supply available for irrigation was discussed by the Chief of Bureau and others at the Irrigation Congress held in November in Chicago.—Ed.

COLORADO.

By F. H. BRANDENBURG, Section Director.

The Weather Bureau began the collection of snowfall statistics in Colorado four years ago, believing that it would be possible to forecast accurately the prospective volume of water in the streams, and that such information would be of material advantage to agricultural interests.

In the early days, when agricultural operations were necessarily limited, the flow during summer was of comparatively little moment, but with the increase of population agriculture

¹Page 236. The paper in full is translated in Professor Abbe's *Mechanics of the Earth's Atmosphere*, No. XIV, pp. 198-211. [Improved methods are given by Professor Bigelow in his *Report on the International Cloud Observations*, Washington, 1900.—Ed.]

made rapid progress, and to supply the demand large canals took the place of the small ditches which had been constructed here and there by a few farmers. Many of these canals possess a capacity equal to the entire flow of the streams supplying them, and vast areas were brought "under ditch," regardless of the fact that during midsummer a shortage might reasonably be expected. While agriculture by irrigation has reached a high state of development in Colorado—unrivaled elsewhere in the arid region—its further extension under existing conditions is impossible. The amount of water that reaches the streams during the summer season is undoubtedly smaller now than it was a quarter of a century ago, and, while greater economy in its use has become necessary, a scarcity is common, and droughty conditions during the summer months entail great loss. Deforestation and forest fires have removed large tracts of timber—nature's reservoirs in the mountains—so that the amount of moisture conserved till midsummer is rapidly growing less under the unobstructed action of the sun and winds. What is true of Colorado is, or soon will be, equally true of other mountain States of the arid region unless strenuous efforts are made to reforest the devastated areas and to protect the timber still standing. If, on account of close grazing during recent years, the run-off from the treeless plains is rapid as compared with years ago, when undisturbed vegetation conserved the moisture, is it unreasonable to expect a similar effect to follow the close grazing which is now common during summer in the upper parts of the catchment basins and during the entire year in the timber of moderate elevations?

A study of the snowfall data collected during recent years does not bear out the notion so prevalent in the arid region, i. e., that a winter of heavy snowfall is succeeded by a spring and a summer with copious and well-distributed precipitation. The data have also thrown light on the volume and duration of the flow to be expected. From the bare knowledge that there is an unusually large amount of snow in the mountains, we must not conclude that there will be an ample and prolonged flow. In illustration of this important fact, I shall briefly review the conditions that have recently obtained: During the closing months of 1898 the snowfall along the Continental Divide and adjacent regions in Colorado was greater than experienced for many years. January added 15 per cent and February a like amount, stormy weather having been almost continuous, with plenty of wind to sweep the snow into the gulches and ravines. March was even wetter than any of the four preceding months. As compared with the stupendous amounts that fell during that season, the winter of 1899-1900 was dry, especially during January and March, though October contributed a heavy fall, and February less than the normal amount for the region as a whole. It thus appears that the winters were notably different. The spring of 1899 was practically rainless, that of 1900 exceptionally wet. The summer of 1899 had slightly more than the normal precipitation, while the summer of 1900 was droughty. We now come to the water supply: the volume available during the spring and summer of 1899 was inadequate on the eastern slope, except for a brief period in June, notwithstanding the stupendous amount of snow that fell during the preceding winter. In 1900 irrigation enterprises fared better during spring and part of summer, despite the light snowfall of the preceding winter. The anomaly is explained by the fact that in consequence of the long, dry period which preceded the stormy winter of 1898-99, the ground was dry and unfrozen when the first snow fell, hence it absorbed a vast amount of moisture when melting began. The unusual dryness during spring played an important part for, as is usual in droughty times, high winds, desiccating in character, were almost continuous, honey-combing the snow and causing a large proportion to disappear as if by magic.

When the winter of 1899-1900 set in the ground was well supplied with moisture and frozen, as a rule, so that in the spring, which was notably free from high winds, the run-off reached the streams with comparatively little loss and being augmented by seepage from the unprecedented fall of rain and melted snow during April (about ten inches) a satisfactory flow was maintained until about the middle of July. From this comparison it appears that the following considerations are important: Whether or not large amounts fall in autumn and early winter, the condition of the soil when winter sets in, the temperature during May and June, and the precipitation during summer, rather than the total snowfall of the winter, are the essential factors in determining the duration of a material flow.

In diverting water from those of the larger streams of the middle Rocky Mountain region that have their sources west of the Continental Divide, difficult problems in engineering are encountered, hence dependence must be placed on the small streams whose flow is likewise unfavorably affected by the conditions already mentioned.

Snowfall bulletins are regularly published at the close of December and monthly thereafter during the season. They contain data regarding the condition of the soil, whether wet or dry, free from frost or not, at the time stormy weather set in; the fall of snow compared with that of like period the preceding year; a comparison with the normal or average; the depth at timber line and above, together with a statement regarding the prospective flow. In the first bulletin of the past season, in addition to summarizing the conditions as reported, the prediction was made that the run-off from melting snow would be relatively great and rapid. In the January bulletin attention was called to the fact that the current fall scarcely made good the loss by evaporation; that for February contained the statement that as recent falls were loosely packed they were likely to go quickly, and that for March the forecast that the run-off from high elevations would not be as great as during the preceding year and cease much earlier. Full data regarding the phenomenally heavy fall of rain and snow over the eastern half of the State during April were promptly placed before interested persons, together with a statement regarding the heavy flow to be expected from the foothills during the early part of the season. It is gratifying to note that all conclusions of a predictive character were fully verified.

The bulletins have a wide circulation. Every post office in the State is furnished with a copy for display, and a large demand for copies comes from the residents of western Nebraska, western Kansas, New Mexico, and as far west as southern Nevada and Arizona.

It is evident that the conditions as regards protection to the snow in the mountains are not such as to conserve till late in the season anything near the amount of moisture needed to irrigate the extensive areas now under ditch. The results attained during recent years emphasize the fact that however stupendous the snowfall of winter, crops are sure to suffer during summer unless normal rainfall occurs.

IDAHO.

By S. M. BLANDFORD, Section Director.

In accordance with authority granted this office by the Chief of Bureau to issue special snow bulletins during the winter of 1900, three bulletins showing depth of snow in all parts of Idaho were issued on dates as follows: January 31, February 28, and March 31.

To secure uniformity and to allow of intelligent comparison, the bulletins were modeled after those previously issued by the Colorado section and represented the snowfall as com-

pared with the average amount on ground, amount at timber line, depth at or near the summit of mountains, and prospective water flow.

It was ascertained through the information contained in the bulletins that nearly all the snow that fell in December, 1899, disappeared during January, 1900, through the prevalence of adiabatic conditions and exceptionally mild weather; nearly normal temperature conditions prevailed during February and the snowfall slightly increased in some sections, but rapidly disappeared during March, when the temperature was the highest for any March on record. The March bulletin disclosed the fact that the snowfall in the mountains had been decreasing since the latter part of December, 1899.

In the bulletin issued on the 31st of March, 1900, the conditions then existing were expressed as follows:

During the first decade of March light snow fell on the mountains to an appreciable depth, but the temperature having risen considerably above the normal on the 11th and continued mild throughout the month, resulted in lighter measurements of snow at the close of March than at any time since December 31, 1899. At the timber line the snow has decreased materially, and on the summit of the mountains the decrease was greater over the Snake River watershed than the Columbia. In agricultural districts there is practically no snow on the ground to obstruct farming operations and the ranges are open to the herdsman.

Since the estimates of depth of snow in the mountains range from a quarter to half the average, it is evident that the water flow will be considerably less than the average, and that the need for economy in the use of water will arise before midsummer.

The forecast was deduced from the measurements of snow in the mountains, assisted by the remarks of correspondents, which were generally to the effect that, within the memory of the oldest inhabitant, the mountain snow supply during the winter of 1899-1900 was the least ever known.

Value of special snow bulletins.—Immediately the first snow bulletin was issued to the public its value became evident. The newspapers considered the information of such interest as to publish extensive extracts, and the Idaho Daily Statesman published the first and each succeeding bulletin in full; many journals published the tabulated data in full. Those who appeared most eager to receive the bulletins were the mining men desiring to begin prospecting or placer mining. In this connection it was gratifying to this office to learn from mining men having extensive interests that the bulletins were of such value as to make individual efforts at collecting the same information through private correspondence unnecessary. The bulletins having been extensively distributed to stockmen, it was learned that they filled a long felt want. It appears that the southwestern valley sections of Idaho are especially desired by the sheep herders for wintering sheep, owing to the mildness of the climate. In the early spring bands of sheep begin to roam the prairies, keeping close to water. In the course of a season a band of sheep may travel from the Snake River to the Saw Tooth mountains and return, a distance of 400 to 600 miles or more, depending upon accessibility to water and grass. The snow bulletins enabled the stockman to ascertain the depth of snow on the high prairie lands and estimate the probable water supply.

Concerning predictive conclusions.—In the light of the experience during the past season it can be stated without hesitation that the forecasts of shortage of water were fully verified. In fact, all small streams had begun to recede by the close of May, and would have begun earlier, but for the occurrence of excessive precipitation during May. Large streams such as the Snake, Boise, and Payette rivers reached the lowest stage ever known, but continued to supply all the irrigation canals depending upon them. By July 20 the high prairies adjacent to the Boise and Saw Tooth mountains, the home of numerous herds of cattle, horses, and sheep were becoming dry, except for a few springs long distances apart, and glacial deposits in the Saw Tooth range that had been

in existence from time immemorial, disappeared or dwindled into insignificance by midsummer. There was general suffering in many communities owing to lack of water. Streams of moderate size, which had supplied sufficient water for irrigation in previous years were entirely dry by midsummer, and it was necessary for herders to abandon good pasture for the purpose of securing water.

It was fortunate that the plan of securing snow records was inaugurated, since the bulletins issued during the winter of 1899-1900 will continue to form the base of reasoning for many years in determining the probable water supply.

Tabulated statement from the March bulletin showing condition of snow in Idaho on March 31, 1900.

Station.	County.	Compared with average.	Amount on ground.	At timber line.	At or near summit of mountains.	Prospective water flow.
<i>Snake River watershed.</i>		Inch.	Inch.	Inch.	Inch.	Inch.
Afton	Wyoming	0	0	0	40	—
Bedford	do	8	8	0	24	—
Blackfoot	Bingham	0	0	0	12	—
Bryan	do	0	0	2	12	—
Coltman	do	0	0	?	—	—
Grover	Wyoming	3	3	0	36	—
Hatch	Bannock	0	0	0	36	—
Houston	Custer	0	24	36	—	—
Howe	Blaine	0	8	10	—	—
Idaho Falls	Bingham	0	0	trace	—	—
Labelle	Fremont	0	6	36	—	—
Lago	do	0	30	36	—	—
Lost River	Blaine	0	6	18	—	—
McCannon	Bannock	0	0	4	—	—
Oxford	do	0	12	48	—	—
Presto	Bingham	0	0	12	—	—
Rexburg	Fremont	0	0	?	—	—
Sarilda	do	0	0	6	—	—
Thayne	Wyoming	0	0	8	—	—
Wilford	Fremont	—	T.	66	72	—
<i>Bear River and lake drainage.</i>						
Clifton	Oneida	0	3	24	—	—
Fairview	do	0	12-20	48	—	—
Georgetown	Bear Lake	0	30	?	—	—
Mink Creek	Oneida	0	6	36	—	—
Ovid	Bear Lake	0	24	60	—	—
St. Charles	do	2	12	?	aver.	—
<i>Wood River.</i>						
Bellevue	Blaine	0	0	drifts	—	—
Ketchum	do	0	12	24	—	—
Corral	do	0	14	24	—	—
<i>Boise basin.</i>						
Centerville	Boise	0	drifts	30	—	—
Placerville	do	0	?	36	—	—
<i>Owyhee Mountains.</i>						
De Lamar	Owyhee	0	24	few ins	—	—
Sinker	do	0	18	18	—	—
<i>Salmon River.</i>						
Florence	Idaho	45	60	120	—	—
Mount Idaho	do	0	0	48-192	—	—
Salmon City	Lemhi	0	24-36	36-60	—	—
Shoup	do	0	aver.	aver.	—	—
<i>Columbia River watershed.</i>						
Bellevue	Kootenai	0	?	—	—	—
Burke	Shoshone	—	T.	96-120	120-174	—
Bonnors Ferry	Kootenai	0	—	—	120-144	—
Kamiah	do	0	—	—	48	—
Hope	do	0	0	18	—	—
Kingston	Shoshone	0	2	24	—	—
Kootenai	Kootenai	12	36	72	—	—
Rathdrum	do	0	0	24	—	—
Santa	do	0	drifts	12	—	—

NOTE.—The dash (—) is used where fall has been less than average or where prospective water flow is likely to be less.

MONTANA.

By E. J. GLASS, Special Director.

Montana is drained by three large rivers, the Missouri and Yellowstone on the east, and Clarkes Fork of the Columbia River on the west side of the Rocky Mountains. All the tributaries of these three rivers rise in the mountains, and derive their water supply from the melting of snow that has been stored there during the winter and spring months. By having a knowledge of the depth, character, and distribution of the snow that has accumulated during the months of January, February, and March, a reliable general forecast of the water supply for the ensuing season can be made for the different streams of the State. There is one element that enters

into the forecast that can not at present be foreseen, and that is, a knowledge of temperature. This, however, affects the water flow only in the early spring, commonly known as spring freshets, which occur in April, May, or June.

In the mountains of Montana there are hundreds of canyons and ravines where the sun shines but little, if any, during the day. These deep ravines are the storage places of the water supply. This is an example of nature's economical distribution of her supplies for man's use. High winds drift the snow into these storage places to a great depth, where, by its own weight, aided by the changes in temperature, it gradually solidifies, in which condition it loses little from evaporation and yields its moisture but slowly and during a comparatively long period during the later spring and early summer. Drifts are also formed at the bases of precipitous cliffs, which, if located on the northern slope of mountains or hills, remain until May or June before they entirely disappear, and greatly assist in maintaining a steady flow of water in springs and small streams.

Accurate knowledge of the depth of snow in the valleys and foothills, in the mountains both above and below the timber line, in ravines, deep canyons, and at the bases of cliffs and precipitous bluffs are all essential in making an accurate forecast of the amount of water in streams during the spring and summer months.

The volume of water in the mountain streams and creeks during the spring freshets that come with the first warm weather of April or May, depends on the depth of snow in the valleys and the foothills. The high water in the larger rivers, occurring during the first protracted warm weather in May or June, is determined by the depth of accumulated snow in the mountains both above and below the timber line. The drifts in the ravines and canyons remain to furnish the steady flow to the streams during the summer months. The temperature and weather are important factors in the spring freshets and floods. Continued warm weather and warm rains greatly augment the flood stages, while warm weather followed by a sudden fall in temperature will greatly lessen the chances of floods, as the slush snow, being frozen, melts more slowly afterwards.

At the beginning of the year 1900 the Montana section of the climate and crop service published, by direction of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, three special snow bulletins, dated January 31, February 28, and March 31. These special bulletins were made up of reports received from 294 correspondents situated in every portion of the State. The greater number of correspondents, however, were in the mountain districts, and gave very valuable information as to the depth of snow in drifts, ravines, and in the mountains both below and above the timber line. These three bulletins each told the same story: "The least snowfall in the mountains that has occurred for many years past." Drifts were of unusually small dimensions, and in many ravines, where snow in former years accumulated to a depth of from 20 to 50 feet, this year there was practically none. The lack of drifts was due to calm weather, there having been no high winds immediately following snow storms. The hills were practically bare and cattle grazed in the valleys all winter. The mild weather during the winter months, aided by chinook winds, caused the south side of the mountains to be free from snow, while many mountain streams were bank full during the winter months. The correspondent at Ovando, situated on the main range of the Rocky Mountains in Deer Lodge County, under date of April 5, 1900, writes:

All ravines running north and south on the southern side of the mountains are almost bare of snow up to the timber line. These same canyons were covered with snow during 1899 until July 1. There is less snow on the ground now than at this season in any year during the past ten.

The snow bulletins were of great importance to the mining, stock, and agricultural interests; and all interested persons were informed that the water supply in the streams would be greatly reduced and that no spring floods would occur. The deficiency of the water supply in the streams of the State was made very apparent by the facts contained in the snow bulletins.

On April 17 the first issue of the weekly climate and crop bulletin for the growing season of 1900 appeared. Reports in the crop bulletin dated May 15 contain several references to the water supply, this being the usual time for high water to occur. Reports received from Dawson County stated that many small streams were drying up. Reports from Deer Lodge County stated that creeks were very low for that season of the year, while Gallatin correspondents reported West Gallatin River, bank full from the effect of the rapid melting of the snow in the mountains. Streams in the Bitter Root Valley were bank full, while Kootenai and Red Rock rivers were quite low. Every crop bulletin issued after the above date (May 15) contained reports from different localities that springs and streams were drying up and that rivers were very low.

No river in the State overflowed its banks from the melting of snow during the first warm weather periods, and in June all the snow had disappeared from the mountains except a very few small drifts in the deep ravines and canyons. As a result of the deficiency of storage snow, as shown by the snow bulletins, springs became dry that had never been dry before, and the water supply of small streams failed, compelling cattle to travel long distances for water. Many farmers were deprived of water for irrigation purposes, the entire supply of many streams being exhausted by water rights owned by ranchmen living near the head waters. During ordinary years the flow of water had been sufficient for both.

The meteorological conditions during the time covered by the snow bulletins and weekly crop bulletins show the highest mean temperature on record for January and March and an excess of temperature for January, March, April, May, and June, and a deficiency during February, August, and September. The precipitation was deficient for January, February, June, and July, while an excess is recorded for March, April, May, August, and September. The greatest departures from the normal precipitation were a deficiency of 1.89 inches for June and an excess of 1.15 inches for April. The rainy season occurred in April of this year, instead of the latter part of May or in June, as it commonly does.

The importance of having accurate reports of the depth of snow on the mountains is very emphatic, as the observations taken by voluntary observers in the valleys do not give all the facts necessary for the intelligent preparation of a seasonal forecast of the water supply for a given section.

NEW MEXICO.

By R. M. HARDING, Section Director.

The snowfall bulletin issued from the New Mexico section center at Santa Fe on the 3rd of March stated:

The total snowfall thus far for the winter was much less than usual. There is an absence of the large drifts from which comes the greater part of the spring flow. At the headwaters of the Rio Grande and San Juan rivers, in southwestern Colorado, there seems to be about the average amount of snow, but from their New Mexico tributaries these streams will receive very little increase unless conditions change. Of the streams whose watersheds lie wholly within New Mexico it is safe to say that the present snow supply is not enough to keep up the current flow, and unless there is heavy snow soon or good early rains the sections depending on these are threatened with a serious water famine in the early spring.

The 1st of April found little water in the streams, excepting the Rio Grande, and there was no prospects for a continu-

ous supply from the mountain sources. General storms on the 6th, 7th, and 8th of April, bringing rain and snow to the lowlands, and a good fall of snow on the mountains of Colorado and northern New Mexico, entirely changed the water prospect, especially for our local streams. A second snowfall bulletin, issued on April 13, gave the information that, although the snow of these storms quickly disappeared from the lowlands, it had helped the streams, and predicted that in connection with the steady supply that could now be expected from the mountain sources a fair supply of water in the streams was practically assured for some time to come. In conclusion this bulletin stated:

As there is an absence of the usual hard-packed drifts in the mountains, there is a likelihood of this source of supply being exhausted in a few weeks, but if augmented by the normal precipitation of this season of the year it is thought that the water flow will be fairly sufficient until the summer rains begin.

This forecast was verified, as there was no scarcity of water in those sections which received a seasonal and normal rainfall.

As a rule the water supply of the streams in the Territory was sufficient for the lands under ditch during the growing season, with the exception of the lower Rio Grande, and lands in the northern counties of Taos and Rio Arriba, which depended on small local streams. Approximately the upper half of the Rio Grande had normal volume beginning early in March, but the flood water rapidly diminished from Socorro southward, because of use and seepage, and did not arrive at the southern boundary of the Territory until the middle of May. From that time on there was a fair supply of water in the Rio Grande throughout its course in New Mexico.

The San Juan River, running to the westward through the extreme northwestern part of the Territory, and drawing its supply almost exclusively from the mountains of southwestern Colorado, furnished sufficient irrigation water throughout the season, although there was almost a total absence of the usual summer rains over that part of its watershed lying in New Mexico.

The Gila and San Francisco rivers, draining the southwestern counties and, like the San Juan, carrying their waters westward of the Continental Divide and through Arizona, had less than their usual flow during the greater part of the season. As a rule, however, they carried sufficient water for the ditches lying in New Mexico.

Over the western half of the Territory, affecting the sources of the Gila and San Francisco rivers and so much of the watersheds of the San Juan and Rio Grande as lie within New Mexico, there was a marked deficiency in the usual winter, spring, and summer precipitation. Even the normally rainy months of July and August were wholly lacking in general showers. The crops of this section which depend on direct rainfall for moisture were almost total failures, and the ranges were so dry that stockmen generally made arrangements to move the flocks and herds to eastern plains. Notwithstanding this disastrous drought in the lower valleys and plains, there were frequent thunderstorms in the vicinity, but their limits were confined to the highest mountain peaks; yet the water furnished from that source was sufficient to supply the irrigated districts fairly well throughout the drought. Ordinarily the rainy season is drawing to a close by the end of August, but this year during the first decade of September there occurred general and heavy rains—torrential and damaging in localities—and the drought conditions for this section were entirely relieved for the remainder of the season.

Over the eastern half of the Territory, embracing the watersheds of the Pecos and the upper Canadian rivers, the conditions were quite different. This whole section, especially in

the northeast during the earlier months and the southeast during the later, received a surplus of precipitation almost as marked as was the deficiency in the west. Excepting some local and minor streams of the middle east, these rivers had an abundant flow throughout the season.

UTAH.

By L. H. MURDOCH, Section Director.

In mountainous countries where irrigation is practised and in sections where fall grain is raised, in the temperate zone of the Northern Hemisphere, a study of the water supply from September to August, inclusive, is undoubtedly most instructive. With the exception of a few minor products the crops of a season are matured by the close of August. The rains of September place the fields in condition to be worked and to germinate fall sown grain. In irrigation districts the growth and maturing of the crop of the following season will depend almost entirely upon the supply of water that is received from the snow accumulated in the mountains from October to April. For the foregoing reasons the year used in this article will be from September to August, inclusive.

Precipitation of the year 1899-1900.—September was the driest since the establishment of the Utah section of the climate and crop service in 1891. The average precipitation for the State was only 0.05 inch, or 0.78 inch below the normal. The precipitation was all in the form of rain. The normal snowfall for September is 0.4 inch.

October was unusually wet, the average precipitation being 1.46 inches, or 0.59 inch above the normal. The average depth of snowfall was 3.2 inches, or 1.9 inches above the normal.

The average precipitation for November was 0.70 inch, or 0.13 inch below the normal. The snowfall was unusually light and was confined exclusively to the mountains; the average was only 0.6 inch, or 4.8 inches below the normal.

The average precipitation for December was 0.95 inch, or 0.04 inch below the normal. The snowfall amounted to 8.2 inches, which was 4.5 inches above the normal.

The Utah records do not show a drier January than that for 1900. The average precipitation was 0.43 inch, or 0.73 inch below the normal. The average snowfall was 2.1 inches, or 8.6 inches below the normal.

February was also a very dry month. The average precipitation was 0.57 inch, or 0.65 inch below the normal. The average snowfall was 5.1 inches, or 4.4 inches below the normal.

Following the directions of the Chief of the United States Weather Bureau, a snowfall bulletin was published, beginning with the month of February. This bulletin gives the depth of snow on the ground, depth on mountains or hills, compares depth with that of same month of preceding year and with the average, and gives the prospective water supply. The following is the summary of the February bulletin:

At the close of February there was no snow in the valleys except in Summit, Rich, and portions of Cache, Morgan, and Wasatch counties. The winter's snowfall has been very much below the average—less than for a number of years. Most of the snow in the mountains and hills fell during February, and is not packed as it would be had it fallen earlier in the season. On an average the snowfall in the mountains is only about half that of last year, and less than three-fourths of the usual amount. With the exception of localities in Boxelder, Cache, Rich, Weber, and Davis counties, the prospective water supply is far below the average.

March was the driest on record and probably the driest in the history of the State. The average precipitation was 0.19 inch, or 1.41 inches below the normal. The average snowfall was 1.2 inches, or 8.2 inches below the normal. The following is the summary of the snowfall bulletin issued for March:

The snowfall during March was confined to Cache, Rich, Weber, Morgan, Davis, Salt Lake, Summit, Tooele, Sanpete, Sevier, Wayne, and Garfield counties. In these counties the fall was unusually light, ranging from less than an inch to four inches, with the exception of 12 inches in Piute County. Nearly all of the snow which fell came with the storm of March 4 and 5, and disappeared from the valleys within a few hours. The month was unusually warm, as well as unusually dry, which caused rapid melting of the already scant supply of snow in the mountains. At the close of March the depth of snow in the mountains was not more than one-half the average amount. Many reporters state that the past winter was the driest they have ever known. The water supply will be very short, and many localities will have to depend largely upon spring and summer rains to carry the crops through to maturity.

The precipitation for April amounted to 2.46 inches, or 1.51 inches above the normal. The average snowfall was 7.1 inches, or 3.9 inches above the normal.

A drought began with May and lasted the remainder of the season. The average precipitation for May was 0.36 inch, or 0.84 inch below the normal; for June, 0.16 inch, or 0.27 inch below normal; for July, 0.09 inch, or 0.56 inch below normal, and for August, 0.34 inch, or 0.31 inch below normal. The normal snowfall for May is 1.7 inches, but practically no snow fell after April.

Summary and comparisons.—The average precipitation for the State for the year ending August 31, 1900, was 7.76 inches, or 3.62 inches below the normal. The average snowfall was 27.5 inches, or 17.8 inches below the normal. It was the driest year since 1888-89, the precipitation for the years 1887-88, 1888-89, and 1899-1900 being about the same. The accumulated snow in the mountains at the opening of the summer was less than the season's fall in the valleys would indicate, for two reasons. Firstly, in an ordinary season frequent snowstorms occur in the mountains that do not reach the valleys, while during the season of 1899-1900 there was nearly an entire absence of local snowstorms in the mountains. Secondly, the season was exceptionally warm, which allowed much melting.

Results.—The heavy rainfall of April gave the crops a good start and made the use of irrigation water unnecessary at that time. As shown by the record, an unusually dry spell began with May and lasted the remainder of the season. As predicted in the snowfall bulletin for March, irrigation water was very short and had to be used with the utmost economy. By the middle of June, with the exception of a few localities, the supply began to fail and was not sufficient to meet the demands. Some of the higher lands, which had been watered in former seasons, received no water at all. Water was used for the most important crops, while the less important and most hardy ones were allowed to depend largely upon the rainfall. As a result of this, several crops gave yields more or less below the average. The localities having plenty of water throughout the season were those supplied from reservoirs and about 20,000 acres in Boxelder County supplied from the Bear River Canal.

Old residents on the Colorado, Bear, and Provo rivers state that these rivers were lower during August and September of 1900 than ever known before. The other rivers and streams of the State were very low at the same time, and many of them reached low water mark.

In Salt Lake City great economy was exercised in the use of water from the pipes. The supply began to fail in July, and during August and September the shortage amounted to 3,000,000 gallons per day. On account of this emergency the city sold \$250,000 of bonds to secure money with which to deepen the Utah Lake Canal, buy new water rights and make other improvements in the waterworks department.

The level of Utah Lake dropped to 3 inches above what is known as low water line, but the level in October of 1889 was about 13 inches lower. The level of Great Lake dropped to 8 inches below the zero of the gage, breaking the record by

20 inches, the previous lowest recorded level, 1 foot, was reached near the close of 1860.

Snowfall bulletins of the Weather Bureau.—The past season has emphasized the value of the snowfall bulletins, and they will, hereafter, be one of the most popular publications of the Weather Bureau. The data contained in the bulletin for March, showed plainly that there would be a decided shortage in the water supply, notwithstanding the fact that no similar data were on file for use in making comparisons. The bulletins will be published for the months of December, January, February, and March. Their value will increase with the accumulation of the data which they contain, and farmers, stockmen, superintendents of waterworks, officials of canal companies, etc., will study them closely and regulate their affairs accordingly.

WYOMING.

By W. S. PALMER, Section Director.

The past season in Wyoming was unusually dry over many sections of the State, especially over the southwestern and northeastern counties; in southeastern Wyoming, that is, in Laramie and Albany counties, the deficiency in precipitation was not so marked as over the sections previously named, and the streams of the Laramie and Platte watershed in southeastern Wyoming maintained their flow much later than the streams of the Green River watershed in southwestern Wyoming or the streams on the eastern slope of the Big Horn Mountains in northeastern Wyoming. As many of the streams of the State are fed by the melting snow from the mountains, a review of the conditions existing over the State during last winter is necessary in order to fully understand why so many streams failed in the early summer.

The following table, compiled from the records of about thirty stations in Wyoming, shows the average monthly precipitation for each month from November to August, inclusive:

Month and year.	Average precipitation.	Departure.	Month and year.	Average precipitation.	Departure.
November, 1899.....	0.13	-0.56	April, 1900.....	4.46	+2.68
December, 1899.....	0.69	+0.02	May, 1900.....	0.59	-1.29
January, 1900.....	0.33	-0.46	June, 1900.....	0.47	-1.07
February, 1900.....	0.90	+0.14	July, 1900.....	1.32	+0.07
March, 1900.....	0.44	-0.97	August, 1900.....	0.37	-0.45

The stations from which these records were obtained are situated at elevations ranging from 3,500 feet to 8,800 feet, and while the figures may not represent the actual average precipitation in the mountains, the monthly departures will give some idea as to whether an excess or a deficiency of precipitation occurred over the mountain districts, as the records available for comparison show that a deficient precipitation at the lower elevations means a deficient snowfall on the mountains. It can be seen from the table that the months of November, January, and March gave decided deficiencies, and the months of December and February but slight excesses. During five months from November to March, inclusive, the months during which the stock of snow in the mountains usually accumulates and packs solid for the water supply of late summer, Wyoming received an accumulated precipitation of but 2.39 inches, or only about one-half of the usual precipitation, the normal for the five months being 4.32 inches.

The precipitation during April was unusually heavy over nearly all portions of the State, but the snow which fell in the mountains melted very early in the season. Snow which

falls in the mountains during April or May can not be depended on to supply water for late summer irrigation, and the stock of snow which fell in the mountains last April melted very early in the summer, due to the usually warm weather of May and June, the temperature for the two months in the State averaging from 4° to 6° per day above the normal.

The precipitation during May, June, and August, was very deficient throughout the State, and during July it was but slightly in excess of the normal. Of the ten months, six were decidedly deficient in precipitation, three months but slightly in excess of the normal, and but one month, April, had a decided excess.

It might be remarked in this connection that the season in Wyoming was a fairly successful one to the agriculturist, as the heavy precipitation of April was especially favorable to the meadows of the State, and despite the adverse conditions of May and June, a crop of hay probably in excess of the average was harvested; it may be safely said that the value of the hay crop, native and alfalfa, exceeds that of all other agricultural and garden products raised in this State at present.

At the close of the months of January, February, and March, 1900, special snowfall bulletins, based on reports of reliable correspondents in various portions of the State, were issued from the Weather Bureau office at Cheyenne. These bulletins showed that much less snow than usual had accumulated in the mountains in nearly all portions of the State. In the report issued about the 10th of April it was predicted that a flow of water less than the usual would prevail in the streams of the State during the summer. Owing to the very small stock of snow in the Big Horn Mountains, it was predicted that a decided shortage of water would occur in the streams on the eastern slope of the Big Horn Mountains; this prediction was fully verified, for by the last of June water was very low at Sheridan, and only the early appropriators could secure water for irrigation; by July 6 low water was reached at Parkman, Sheridan County; on August 15 the Powder River at Griggs was the lowest it had been for years. Owing to the light snowfall of the winter and continued dry weather in early summer, the streams of the Green River watershed dried up very early in summer. Over the Laramie and Platte watershed, where a fair stock of snow existed at the close of March, as shown by the snowfall bulletin for that month, the flow of water in the streams was maintained much later than in other sections, although the amount of water was less than usual in nearly all the streams of the State. The gaging station, maintained by the United States Geological Survey, at Woods on the Laramie, a station above nearly all of the ditches on that stream, showed that high water was reached as early as May 30, 1900, while during 1899 high water was not reached till June 25; the flow of water at that station in August, 1900, was much less than the flow in September, 1899.

The interest and value of these monthly snowfall bulletins has been such that the Chief of Bureau has authorized their issue for Wyoming during the coming winter, when it is hoped to make them of even more interest and value than during the past winter. It is expected that special snowfall bulletins for Wyoming will be issued at the close of the months of December, January, February, and March.

TORNADOES IN TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, AND ARKANSAS.

By S. C. EMERY, Local Forecast Official, dated November 20, 1900.

During the afternoon and evening of November 20, 1900, the section of country embracing southeastern Arkansas, northern Mississippi, and western Tennessee was visited by

at least six distinct tornadoes, all of which were destructive and exhibited the usual characteristics of such storms. All moved in exactly the same direction in parallel lines, with a rate of progressive motion of from 45 to 60 miles an hour, as shown in fig. 3.

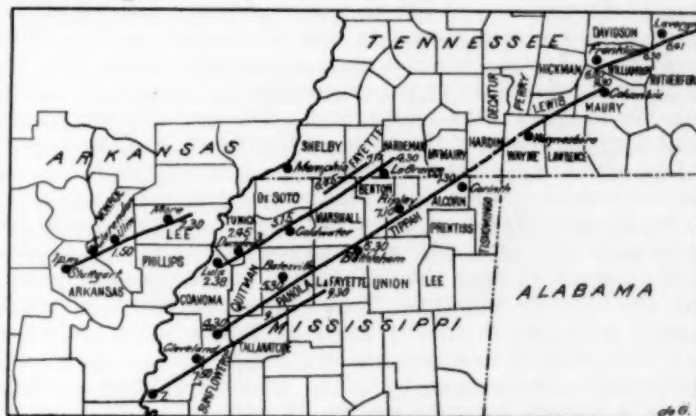


FIG. 3.—Tracks of tornadoes, November 20, 1900.

Some portions of the country through which the tornadoes moved are thickly settled, and as everything within the limits of their narrow paths was destroyed, the loss of life and property was very severe. The actual deaths resulting from these storms number at least seventy-three, while a large number of persons were seriously injured and a much greater number rendered homeless by the destruction of their dwellings. Through the farming districts the loss was mainly confined to fences, farm buildings, and negro cabins, a great number of the latter being carried completely away. Unpicked cotton was stripped from the stalk and scattered broadcast over the country, and instances were noted where large quantities of cotton were carried by the tornado to distant forests and deposited upon trees making them appear to be covered with snow.

Correspondents along the tracks of the storms report a funnel-shaped cloud; some liken its appearance to a balloon, others to a haystack, while some speak of it as a very black or greenish cloud with a small twisting end touching the earth. In some places the cloud appeared as a great ball of fire, and at others small balls of fire shot out of the lower portion of the cloud. The most notable feature, and the one mentioned by all who observed the storms, was the intense and constant lightning, the extreme brilliancy of which in some cases turned night into day. The noise attending the passage of the storm cloud is generally described as a deep roar like the moving of many railway trains, which could be heard for some time before the storm arrived. The warning thus given enabled many to seek places of greater safety and was the means of saving life. Hail is reported in only one or two instances. Generally, after the tornado had passed, heavy rain set in which continued for some time.

One fact worthy of note is that through the low, timbered sections the path of destruction was much narrower than over the high ground, though in both cases there appears to have been nothing in the way of buildings or trees sufficient to resist the wind. The weather conditions during the morning of November 20, throughout the section affected, were exceedingly threatening. Temperature was abnormally high for the season, air close and sultry, and for several hours a general feeling of oppression prevailed. Frequent showers of short duration occurred, usually accompanied by thunder and sudden gusts of wind. Heavy rain would start in and continue for five minutes or less, and then end as abruptly as it began. Wind fresh from south and southwest until about noon, when it died down to nearly a calm. The barometer at Memphis, Tenn., rose slightly during the morning, but

about noon a rapid fall set in which continued until 3 p. m.; this was followed by a sharp rise, and this again by a quick turn downward until about 7 p. m. The temperature rose steadily from 8 p. m. of the 19th to 9 a. m. of the 20th. At 10 a. m. of the 20th the temperature fell 5° and then rose rapidly again to a maximum of 74° at 2 p. m., when a fall of 10° occurred within a few moments and continued to fall more slowly until 7 p. m., when it reached the minimum, 63°.

The first tornado reported originated in eastern Arkansas, probably in Arkansas County, and moving northeast, passed about 5 miles south of the town of Stuttgart, in that county, at 1 p. m. It kept its northeasterly course through Monroe and Lee counties, when upon reaching a high ridge bordering the St. Francis Basin on the west, known as Crowleys Ridge, the tornado left the earth and was seen no more. It is possible, however, it may have continued its course and passed over the City of Memphis, Tenn., at a considerable height about 3 p. m., as there was great agitation in the clouds at that time and the meteorological instruments indicated a serious disturbance near by. The greatest damage wrought by the Arkansas tornado was in Monroe and Lee counties. Its path throughout was strewn with wrecked houses and other buildings, but fortunately the list of fatalities is small. About 6 miles north of Stuttgart, near Ulm, Ark., several dwellings were destroyed and 2 persons killed. The town of Moro, in Lee County, 14 miles northwest, was almost entirely swept away, only 4 buildings left standing; 1 white child was killed and its mother seriously injured; 2 negroes were also killed. Total number killed in Arkansas, 6. The tornado traveled 45 miles in one hour and fifteen minutes.

Tornado No. 2 started in the vicinity of Moon Lake, in Coahoma County, Miss., and passed near the town of Lulu, Miss., about 2.30 p. m., and through Dundee, Miss., at 2:45 p. m. From Dundee the tornado took a northeast course and passing through the counties of Tunica, Tate, Marshall, and the northwest corner of Benton, reaching the Tennessee line not far from Michigan City. It then passed through a portion of Lagrange, Tenn., and disappeared from view.

The destructive character of this storm was first felt near the town of Dundee, Miss., on the farm of Mr. F. M. Norfleet, of this place. On this farm 6 persons were killed, many buildings destroyed, great damage done to fences and unpicked cotton. From Dundee to Arkabutla, Miss., the storm track was marked by wrecked buildings, fallen trees, and general desolation; 8 white persons and 1 negro were killed. Arkadelphia, Miss., is a town of about 1,000 inhabitants and scarcely one of them escaped injury. Hundreds of homes were swept away without warning, and 11 persons were killed and a very large number severely injured. Continuing its northeasterly course the tornado reached Strayhorn, Miss., at about 3 p. m., killing 11 people, and Coldwater, Miss., at 3.15 p. m., where 1 person was killed and much valuable property destroyed. The next town visited was Guys Switch, a small settlement about 1 mile south of Love Station, in Tate County, reaching that place at 3:20 p. m., and demolishing 10 or 12 buildings, among which was the big sawmill plant of J. Guy & Co. Mr. Guy reports as follows regarding the storm at his place:

We were running a sawmill at the time and did not notice the approach of the storm until within a few yards of us. The destructive part of the storm lasted about five or ten minutes. There were 23 men in the mill at the time, and though it was completely demolished no one was hurt. The storm was moving northeast with a path, I think, about 500 yards wide. It passed my place and swept everything before it. There was no hail, very little thunder and lightning, and no rain until the storm had passed. The trees outside of the storm's path lay mostly with their tops toward the center of the track of greatest destruction. The cloud was funnel shaped, and when it came in contact with the ground flattened out, and as it rose became narrower. One man was killed and several badly hurt by flying and falling lumber.

From the accompanying diagram it would appear that the

tornado at Guys Switch either divided and the two parts traveled in nearly parallel lines for a mile or two and then became united, or else the zig zag motion noted at many places was unusually pronounced in this case, and it bounded over the uninjured buildings. I am inclined to believe the latter explanation the more reasonable.

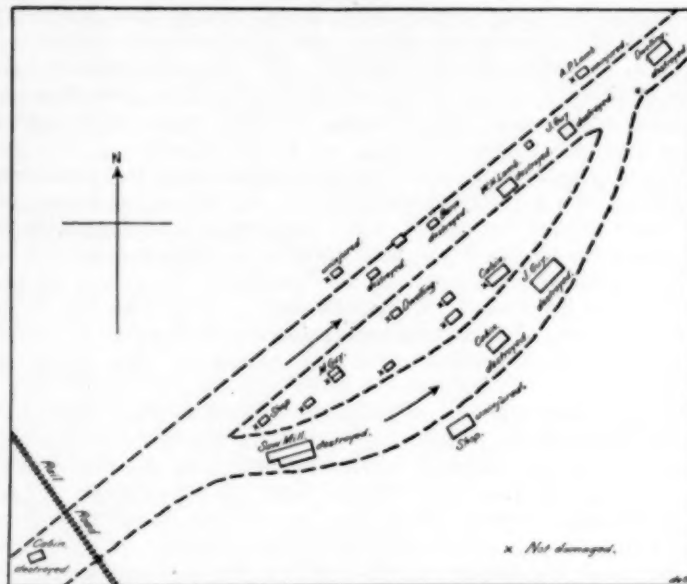


Fig. 4.—Tornado at Guys Switch, Tate County, Miss., November 20, 1900, at 3:20 p. m.

The next important town visited by this tornado was Lagrange, Tenn., where it arrived at 4:30 p. m. and destroyed about 20 buildings and caused the death of 2 persons. The property loss at this place aggregates \$50,000. Within a path 175 yards wide practically every building was leveled to the ground. After leaving Lagrange the tornado traveled but a short distance and then disappeared. Total distance traveled by the tornado from Dundee to Lagrange, 80 miles; time, one hour and fifty minutes, an average rate of movement of about 60 miles an hour.

Mr. W. E. Darby, of Lagrange, Tenn., furnishes the following in regard to the tornado as he observed it.

Destruction began 4:30 p. m. and ended five minutes later. Destructive period at any one point was not over thirty seconds. Storm moved northeast by east. Width of path of greatest destruction, 175 yards. Thunder and lightning severe. Cloud was funnel-shaped, and from appearance of debris, etc., the whirl must have been from left to right. Buildings destroyed, 20 in all, mostly frame. Appearance of storm, greenish looking cloud in the southwest, with black cloud, gray below, in the west; both seemed to be approaching us in advance of the storm, sharp lightning in each. Wind light from the east. Occasional light showers preceded the storm and continued up to the time of its arrival. Just before the storm broke there was nearly a perfect calm and a deathly stillness prevailed for several minutes. This was followed by a deep roar like the muffled sound of heavy rain falling on a distant tin roof, increasing to a roar such as might be produced by a thousand railway trains. When the roar was first heard the green and black clouds had disappeared, and the southwest sky became a heavy leaden gray, with the appearance of heavy rain falling. This seemed to melt away like vapor, or to be drawn aside as a curtain, while from beneath and beyond there came bounding and leaping into sight like a thing of life, the tornado cloud. Black as night, edged with white, all motion and confusion. It looked much like the dense smoke just breaking through the roof of a burning building. It came on very rapidly, increasing in size, and filling the air with flying debris. No hail; gradual fall in temperature after the storm, but not over 10° in all. Immediately after the storm rain fell in torrents for about an hour. Observed all this from the street directly in the track of the storm and only saved myself by running.

A strange relic left by the storm at Lagrange was a tin sign bearing the inscription "Johnson Bros., Lula, Miss." evidently brought by the tornado from that place more than 80 miles distant. From a frame house on Main street was extracted a small piece of rotten wood which was driven half through

a heavy oak plank, despite the fact that the flying splinter was so decayed that it crumbled while being drawn out. The Methodist church was destroyed in an even more singular manner. Each of the four walls fell inward, forming a succession of layers, one on top of the other, and all surmounted by the steeple. The cyclone wind, after the roof had been taken away, evidently formed a vacuum inside the church, which resulted in all the walls closing in.

Tornado No. 3 started about 25 miles south of No. 2 in the northern portion of Sunflower County, Miss., passing 6 miles south of the town of Sumner, Tallahatchie County, at about 4:30 p. m.; moved northeast through the counties of Tallahatchie, Panola, Lafayette, touching the southern portion of Marshall and Benton, through Tippah and Alcorn, and passing into Tennessee just north of Corinth. In its movement northeastward from Sunflower County, the storm passed near Batesville at 5:30 p. m., doing only slight damage. From there it seems to have touched the earth only occasionally, passing over Abbeville, and striking the earth again near the town of Bethlehem in Marshall County at 6:30 p. m., where it destroyed 3 buildings, and passed on to Tacaleeche, Benton County, wrecking two or three small dwellings about 6:45 p. m. It reached Ripley, Tippah County, at 7:10 p. m. Its track at this place was about 200 yards wide, and within 7 miles of town at least 25 dwellings were destroyed and a large number of people injured, but none are reported killed. From Ripley the storm passed through a fine farming district destroying many dwellings and other property. The next point of attack was Corinth, Alcorn County, where it arrived at 7:30 p. m., but as it passed to the south of the town no fatalities occurred, and the damage was mostly confined to negro cabins, many being blown away. The distance from the point of starting to Corinth is about 125 miles; time, three hours and thirty minutes.

After entering Tennessee the storm's track was through a section of country from which it is difficult to obtain even meager information, but it is known to have continued its course to the northeast, and entering the southeastern portion of Maury County, reached Columbia two hours after leaving Mississippi, or at 9:30 p. m. The tornado passed through the suburbs of Columbia in a northeasterly direction, sweeping a path from 100 to 300 yards wide and destroying everything within its reach; 27 persons were killed and between 60 and 70 more or less injured. About 50 dwellings were destroyed, and the loss in buildings alone is estimated at \$30,000. A settlement near Columbia, known as Macedonia, about 2 miles from the original striking point of the tornado, containing about 25 houses, was completely

demolished, and 13 people were buried under the debris. After leaving Columbia the tornado cloud disappeared. Total distance traveled, 215 miles; time, five hours and thirty minutes.

Tornado No. 4 started about 6 p. m. in Williamson County, Tenn., a few miles south of Franklin; it passed through the town of Clovercroft, and struck Nolansville at 6:30 p. m., where 3 persons were killed and about 13 buildings destroyed. Passed through Lavergne, in the southeast corner of Davidson County, at 6:41 p. m., killing 2 persons and demolishing 25 buildings. As I have not been able to trace this storm beyond Lavergne it is probable it left the earth at that point. Distance traveled, about 25 miles.

Tornado No. 5 probably had its origin in the extreme southeastern portion of Arkansas, but first came into notice not far from the town of Huntington, Bolivar County, Miss., at 7 p. m. In the vicinity of Huntington 10 buildings were destroyed and about 20 persons injured. From Huntington the storm moved northeast and reached Cleveland in the same county at 7:50 p. m., wrecking a number of houses on the Sparkman and Coleman plantations, and injuring a number of people. From Cleveland the storm passed through Sunflower and Tallahatchie counties, a few miles south of the path taken by No. 3, and disappeared near the town of Reynolds in the southeastern corner of Panola County, Miss., at 9:30 p. m. Distance traveled, 95 miles; time, two hours and thirty minutes, or about 40 miles an hour.

Tornado No. 6 started in Marshall County near the town of Coyce, and, moving northeast, struck the town of Tracy, completely demolishing the two-story residence of Mr. J. B. Higgins, sweeping it entirely away, also the brick office of Dr. Berkley, as well as the frame store of Mr. Walker. Leaving Tracy it next visited the little town of Vance, located in the northern edge of Marshall County, where a general store and 10 cabins were destroyed and 3 children killed. The tornado then passed into Tennessee, and reached Moscow, Fayette County, at 7:15 p. m. Here it destroyed the residence of Mr. J. Owens, seriously injuring the inmates, and also demolished several farm houses in the vicinity. This storm was distinctly seen at Collierville, Tenn., and also from Memphis. Distance traveled, 24 miles; time, about 30 minutes.

Besides the tornadoes above noted, two occurred in northern Alabama, one between 6 and 7 p. m., and the other during the early morning of November 21.

The money value of the property destroyed by these tornadoes can not be accurately known, but it is certainly not less than half a million dollars.

THE WEATHER OF THE MONTH.

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CHARACTERISTICS OF THE WEATHER FOR NOVEMBER.

The weather of November, 1900, was rather stormy, in marked contrast to that of October, 1900. The area of high pressure over the eastern seaboard, which has been so marked a feature in the pressure distribution of the last four months, gave way early in the month and areas of high pressure began again to move in a southeasterly direction.

The temperature was generally above normal, except in the upper Mississippi Valley and in the extreme northwest, where the average daily negative departure was from 3° to 6°. Heavy snows occurred in the northern Rocky Mountain districts

during the 20th and 21st, but the snowfall elsewhere was comparatively light.

A series of tornadoes occurred in southeastern Arkansas, northern Mississippi, and western and middle Tennessee on the 20th, a special report of which appears elsewhere in this REVIEW.

The distinguishing characteristics of the month were (1) the breaking up of the area of high pressure over the eastern seaboard, (2) a movement of the highs southeastward, and (3) the occurrence of severe tornadoes in the middle Mississippi Valley.

PRESSURE.

The distribution of monthly mean pressure is graphically shown on Chart IV, and the numerical values are given in Tables I and X.

As compared with the preceding month the monthly mean pressure was higher from the eastern Gulf States westward and northwestward over the entire Mississippi Valley and thence westward to the Pacific coast. The region of greatest increase was in the upper Missouri Valley, the Dakotas, and thence northward as far as the field of observation extends. Over this area pressure was from .25 to .30 inch higher than during the preceding month. From the eastern Gulf States northeastward to the Canadian Maritime Provinces, pressure was about one-tenth of an inch lower than during the preceding month. Pressure was below the normal for the season on the Pacific coast, and also over the Middle Atlantic States and New England; elsewhere it was above the seasonal average.

TEMPERATURE OF THE AIR.

The distribution of monthly mean surface temperature, as deduced from the records of about 1,000 stations, is shown on Chart VI.

As in the preceding month temperature was above the normal for the season over the greater part of the field of observation, the only marked exception being in the upper Missouri and upper Mississippi valleys, and thence westward along the northern boundary to the Pacific where the daily mean temperature averaged as much as 6° below the seasonal normal. There were no marked cold waves during the month, except in the extreme northwest and in the northern Rocky Mountain districts. Temperatures below freezing did not occur on the immediate Gulf coast nor on the Atlantic coast, except from southern New Jersey northward. Freezing temperatures were recorded in the interior of the country, except in Florida and along the coasts as above indicated. The lowest minimum temperature registered at any of the regular observing stations was 32° below zero at Medicine Hat.

The average temperature for the several geographic districts and the departures from normal values are shown in the following table:

Average temperatures and departures from the normal.

Districts.	Number of stations.	Average temperatures for the current month.	Departures for the current month.	Accumulated departures since January 1.	Average departures since January 1.
		°	°	°	°
New England.....	10	42.8	+ 2.6	+15.3	+ 1.4
Middle Atlantic.....	12	49.0	+ 4.3	+23.2	+ 2.1
South Atlantic.....	10	57.8	+ 3.0	+12.6	+ 1.1
Florida Peninsula.....	7	67.3	+ 0.5	+ 0.9	+ 0.1
East Gulf.....	7	59.8	+ 2.5	+ 4.9	+ 0.4
West Gulf.....	7	59.7	+ 3.2	+13.9	+ 1.3
Ohio Valley and Tennessee.....	12	47.0	+ 2.0	+18.7	+ 1.6
Lower Lake.....	8	41.2	+ 2.3	+17.8	+ 1.6
Upper Lake.....	9	33.6	+ 0.2	+23.2	+ 2.1
North Dakota.....	8	31.3	- 3.6	+36.6	+ 3.3
Upper Mississippi Valley.....	11	38.0	+ 0.6	+24.1	+ 2.2
Missouri Valley.....	10	37.0	+ 0.2	+30.2	+ 2.7
Northern Slope.....	7	31.8	- 0.5	+32.6	+ 3.0
Middle Slope.....	6	43.4	+ 1.9	+24.3	+ 2.2
Southern Slope.....	6	51.4	+ 2.5	+12.0	+ 1.1
Southern Plateau.....	15	49.6	+ 2.9	+ 7.2	+ 0.7
Middle Plateau.....	9	40.5	+ 3.8	+17.4	+ 1.6
Northern Plateau.....	10	34.9	- 1.2	+20.3	+ 1.8
North Pacific.....	9	44.7	- 0.7	+10.6	+ 1.0
Middle Pacific.....	5	54.9	+ 1.3	+ 8.3	+ 0.8
South Pacific.....	4	62.1	+ 4.6	+11.6	+ 1.1

In Canada.—Prof. R. F. Stupart says:

The mean temperature of the month was higher than the average by from 1° to 3° in the more southern portions of Ontario and in Nova Scotia, and about 1° above in nearly all parts of New Brunswick and

Quebec. West of Lake Nipissing the departure from average was negative by about 1° near the southern shores of Lakes Huron and Superior, about 2° in Manitoba, and by between 3° and 5° in Assiniboia and British Columbia, and Vancouver Island was very nearly average. One of the most marked features of the month was the exceptionally severe cold which prevailed in the Northwest Territories between the 13th and 25th, during which period the temperature fell below zero at nearly all points on nine days, at some few places on ten or eleven days.

PRECIPITATION.

The distinguishing feature of the precipitation during the month was the heavy fall in California, especially in the southern portion, where severe drought has prevailed for the last three years. Heavy rains also fell in Arizona, and quite generally over the middle and southern plateaus; the rainfall was also above the normal for the season in Tennessee, the Ohio Valley, the lower Lake region, and along the coast of the Carolinas and Virginia.

There was decidedly more snow than during the corresponding month a year ago. The areas of greatest total depth for the month were in the lower Lake region, the St. Lawrence Valley, northern New England, upper Michigan, and the Rocky Mountain districts, especially in Colorado.

The numerical values of rainfall for a large number of stations are given in Table II. At the end of the month snow covered the ground in New England, except along the immediate coast, the greater portion of New York, and the ground was generally covered in northern Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, and the upper portions of Wisconsin and Michigan. Snow also covered the ground in the mountainous districts of Colorado, western Wyoming, Idaho, and California.

HAIL.

The following are the dates on which hail fell in the respective States:

Arizona, 18, 19. Arkansas, 23. California, 17, 19, 20. Connecticut, 7, 8. Illinois, 6, 7, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22. Indiana, 8, 16, 21, 22. Indian Territory, 18. Kansas, 10, 23. Kentucky, 8, 22. Louisiana, 24. Maine, 9, 14. Maryland, 7. Massachusetts, 8, 9. Michigan, 5. Mississippi, 19. Missouri, 19, 23. Nevada, 19. New York, 22. Ohio, 20, 21. Oklahoma, 18. Oregon, 1, 17, 18, 19, 20. Tennessee, 21, 23, 24. Virginia, 8, 25. West Virginia, 23.

SLEET.

The following are the dates on which sleet fell in the respective States:

Alabama, 25. Arizona, 20. Arkansas, 9, 10, 11, 24, 25. California, 7, 17, 18, 19, 20, 30. Colorado, 18, 19, 20. Connecticut, 9, 17, 18, 24, 25. Georgia, 13. Idaho, 20, 21, 26, 30. Illinois, 6, 7, 10, 11, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 25. Indiana, 5, 7, 8, 10, 14, 16, 17, 18, 20, 23, 24, 25. Indian Territory, 9, 11, 24, 25. Iowa, 1, 5, 6, 10, 12, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24. Kansas, 11, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24. Kentucky, 8, 11, 21, 25, 26. Maine, 20, 25, 26. Massachusetts, 17, 25, 26, 30. Michigan, 5, 7, 8, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 28. Minnesota, 5, 8, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20. Mississippi, 10, 24. Missouri, 10, 11, 16, 17, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27. Montana, 16, 30. Nebraska, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25. Nevada, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21. New Jersey, 7, 9, 11, 15, 17, 24, 27. New Mexico, 8, 26. New York, 9, 17, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30. North Carolina, 8. Ohio, 7, 8, 10, 11, 16, 17, 23, 25, 26, 29. Oklahoma, 11, 19, 24. Oregon, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23. Pennsylvania, 17, 21, 24, 25. South Carolina, 12. South Dakota, 17, 18. Tennessee, 8, 10, 11, 25, 26. Texas, 9. Utah, 1, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 26, 27. Virginia, 8. Washington, 16, 17, 18, 23. Wisconsin, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20. Wyoming, 17, 18, 20, 22.

Average precipitation and departure from the normal.

Districts.	Number of stations.	Average.		Departure.	
		Current month.	Percentage of normal.	Current month.	Accumulated since Jan. 1.
		Inches.		Inches.	Inches.
New England	10	4.30	108	+0.3	-2.2
Middle Atlantic	12	3.00	97	-0.1	-7.5
South Atlantic	10	3.90	130	+0.9	-7.4
Florida Peninsula	7	0.82	34	-1.6	+1.3
East Gulf	7	3.10	84	-0.6	+9.2
West Gulf	7	2.44	62	-1.5	+2.3
Ohio Valley and Tennessee	12	5.28	147	+1.7	-5.9
Lower Lake	8	4.06	128	+0.9	-1.1
Upper Lake	9	2.50	100	0.0	-2.3
North Dakota	8	0.72	116	+0.1	+2.3
Upper Mississippi Valley	11	1.81	82	-0.4	+0.9
Missouri Valley	10	0.79	61	-0.5	+2.6
Northern Slope	7	0.31	61	-0.2	+1.3
Middle Slope	6	0.52	63	-0.3	+1.2
Southern Slope	6	1.04	91	-0.1	+8.8
Southern Plateau	15	1.47	258	+0.9	-0.3
Middle Plateau	9	1.34	143	+0.4	-2.7
Northern Plateau	10	1.23	75	-0.4	-1.5
North Pacific	9	5.49	75	-1.8	-1.6
Middle Pacific	5	4.77	161	+1.8	-1.2
South Pacific	4	5.14	384	+3.8	-0.5

In Canada.—Professor Stupart says:

In Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces the precipitation was in excess of the average and chiefly in the form of rain; there were, however, several falls of snow in all districts, and in the St. Lawrence Valley there was a heavy northeast snowstorm during the 25th and 26th.

In Manitoba, Assiniboia, and southern Alberta the precipitation was almost wholly snow, and varied between 8 and 16 inches; in Saskatchewan and northern Alberta the fall was much less.

On the last days of the month the more southwestern portions of the northwest prairies were bare, but a covering of from 5 to 10 inches was very general in Manitoba and over most of Assiniboia, and as much as 20 inches was reported from Qu'Appelle. The more eastern and northern portions of Ontario reported several inches on the ground, but rapidly disappearing. In Quebec and over the greater portion of New Brunswick a covering was general, but nowhere very deep, 12 inches at Brome, Que., being the deepest reported. In southern and eastern Nova Scotia and in Prince Edward Island the depth ranged between 2 and 4 inches.

HUMIDITY.

The averages by districts appear in the subjoined table:

Average relative humidity and departures from the normal.

Districts.	Average.	Departure from the normal.	Districts.	Average.	Departure from the normal.
New England	79	+1	Missouri Valley	72	+1
Middle Atlantic	74	-2	Northern Slope	69	+3
South Atlantic	78	-1	Middle Slope	63	+1
Florida Peninsula	77	-4	Southern Slope	65	+4
East Gulf	76	-1	Southern Plateau	40	-6
West Gulf	75	+2	Middle Plateau	59	+5
Ohio Valley and Tennessee	73	0	Northern Plateau	80	+7
Lower Lake	78	+2	North Pacific Coast	86	-1
Upper Lake	83	+3	Middle Pacific Coast	79	+6
North Dakota	81	+2	South Pacific Coast	64	-3
Upper Mississippi	76	+2			

SUNSHINE AND CLOUDINESS.

The distribution of sunshine is graphically shown on Chart VII, and the numerical values of average daylight cloudiness, both for individual stations and by geographical districts, appear in Table I.

The averages for the various districts, with departures from the normal, are shown in the table below:

Average cloudiness and departures from the normal.

Districts.	Average.	Departure from the normal.	Districts.	Average.	Departure from the normal.
New England	7.0	+1.4	Missouri Valley	5.0	+0.1
Middle Atlantic	6.1	+0.9	Northern Slope	4.9	+0.3
South Atlantic	4.5	0.0	Middle Slope	4.2	+0.6
Florida Peninsula	4.3	-0.3	Southern Slope	2.8	-0.4
East Gulf	4.5	0.0	Southern Plateau	2.6	+0.3
West Gulf	4.4	-0.2	Middle Plateau	4.8	+1.2
Ohio Valley and Tennessee	5.7	0.0	Northern Plateau	6.6	+0.6
Lower Lake	7.9	+0.7	North Pacific Coast	6.5	-0.3
Upper Lake	7.7	+0.7	Middle Pacific Coast	6.0	+2.2
North Dakota	5.0	-0.3	South Pacific Coast	4.2	+0.3
Upper Mississippi	5.6	+0.3			

WIND.

The maximum wind velocity at each Weather Bureau station for a period of five minutes is given in Table I, which also gives the altitude of Weather Bureau anemometers above ground.

Following are the velocities of 50 miles and over per hour registered during the month:

Maximum wind velocities.

Stations.	Date.	Velocity.	Direction.	Stations.	Date.	Velocity.	Direction.
Amarillo, Tex	20	52	nw.	Cleveland, Ohio	25	54	n.
Do.	24	56	n.	Do.	26	61	n.
Block Island, R. I.	9	71	w.	Hatteras, N. C.	4	51	n.
Do.	10	53	w.	Do.	8	53	w.
Do.	22	50	w.	Indianapolis, Ind.	21	51	s.
Do.	26	54	ne.	New York, N. Y.	8	50	sw.
Buffalo, N. Y.	12	57	w.	Do.	9	74	nw.
Do.	21	80	w.	Do.	15	50	w.
Carson City, Nev.	18	54	sw.	Do.	21	76	w.
Cheyenne, Wyo.	21	54	w.	Port Huron, Mich.	21	52	w.
Chicago, Ill.	24	50	ne.	Sacramento, Cal.	21	51	se.
Cleveland, Ohio	5	54	nw.	Williston, N. Dak.	9	50	nw.
Do.	21	63	sw.	Winnemucca, Nev.	21	54	s.

ATMOSPHERIC ELECTRICITY.

Numerical statistics relative to auroras and thunderstorms are given in Table VII, which shows the number of stations from which meteorological reports were received, and the number of such stations reporting thunderstorms (T) and auroras (A) in each State and on each day of the month, respectively.

Thunderstorms.—Reports of 976 thunderstorm were received during the current month as against 732 in 1899 and 1,533 during the preceding month.

The dates on which the number of reports of thunderstorms for the whole country were most numerous were: 20th, 115; 23d, 114; 18th, 107.

Reports were most numerous from: Illinois, 195; Missouri, 83; New York, 59.

Auroras.—The evenings on which bright moonlight must have interfered with observations of faint auroras are assumed to be the four preceding and following the date of full moon, viz, 2d to 10th.

In Canada.—Auroras were reported as follows: Father Point, 17th; Minnedosa, 3d; Prince Albert, 19th.

Thunderstorms were reported as follows: Halifax, 9th; Port Stanley, Toronto, Parry Sound, 21st; Hamilton, Bermuda, 7th and 8th.

DESCRIPTION OF TABLES AND CHARTS.

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For description of tables and charts see page 453 of REVIEW for October, 1900.

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TABLE 1.—Climatological data for Weather Bureau Stations, November, 1900.

Stations.	Elevation of instruments.		Pressure, in inches.		Temperature of the air, in degrees Fahrenheit.										Precipitation, in inches.		Wind.					Total snowfall.					
	Barometer above sea level, feet.	Thermometers above ground.	Anemometer above ground.	Mean actual, s. a. m. + 8 p. m. + 2.	Mean reduced.	Departure from normal.	Temperature of the air, in degrees Fahrenheit.				Mean wet thermometer.	Mean temperature of the dew-point.	Mean relative humidity, per cent.	Total.	Departure from normal.	Days with .01, or more.	Total movement, miles.	Prevailing direction.		Miles per hour.	Direction.		Date.	Clear days.	Partly cloudy days.	Cloudy days.	Average cloudiness, tenths.
							Mean max. mean min. + 2.	Departure from normal.	Maximum.	Date.								Mean minimum.	Date.									Greatest daily range.	Maximum velocity.
New England.																											
Rosport	76	69	74	29.90	29.90	-.02	42.3	+.2	61	15	32	24	38	33	79	4.35	0.3	16	9,418	w.	44	ne.	27	3	10	17	7.6
Portland, Me.	108	81	117	29.87	29.88	-.03	38.4	+.7	61	15	32	24	38	31	73	4.40	0.3	16	9,418	w.	44	ne.	27	3	10	17	7.6
Northfield	876	15	65	29.04	30.01	-.03	40.0	+.2	70	15	17	32	38	31	73	4.40	0.3	16	9,418	w.	44	ne.	27	3	10	17	7.6
Boston	135	115	181	29.88	30.08	-.02	44.6	+.4	70	15	17	32	38	31	73	4.40	0.3	16	9,418	w.	44	ne.	27	3	10	17	7.6
Nantucket	12	43	85	30.01	30.02	-.04	48.0	+.3	62	21	43	25	31	38	36	3.99	1.5	12	6,041	sw.	37	s.	27	6	9	15	6.7
Block Island	26	11	70	29.99	30.02	-.03	47.4	+.5	64	21	43	25	31	38	36	4.17	1.4	11	8,786	sw.	41	ne.	26	6	9	15	6.7
Narragansett	106	117	140	29.91	30.08	-.03	44.3	+.2	72	21	43	25	31	38	36	3.55	0.6	15	14,633	sw.	71	w.	9	9	9	14	6.6
New Haven	106	117	140	29.91	30.08	-.03	44.3	+.2	72	21	43	25	31	38	36	3.55	0.6	15	14,633	sw.	71	w.	9	9	9	14	6.6
Mid. Atl. States.																											
Albany	97	84	113	29.92	30.04	-.02	41.8	+.6	68	21	48	31	17	35	23	3.85	1.0	13	6,138	s.	34	se.	21	3	7	30	7.9
Binghamton	875	79	90	29.92	30.04	-.02	41.8	+.6	68	21	48	31	17	35	23	3.85	1.0	13	6,138	s.	34	se.	21	3	7	30	7.9
New York	314	108	146	29.89	30.04	-.03	48.7	+.3	72	21	55	28	16	43	24	4.26	0.5	10	11,469	nw.	76	w.	21	3	10	15	6.7
Harrisburg	374	94	104	29.92	30.04	-.03	48.7	+.3	72	21	55	28	16	43	24	4.26	0.5	10	11,469	nw.	76	w.	21	3	10	15	6.7
Philadelphia	117	168	184	29.94	30.06	-.04	46.0	+.6	74	21	53	24	16	39	26	2.69	0.1	11	5,796	w.	48	w.	21	4	11	15	6.7
Scranton	806	111	119	29.94	30.06	-.04	46.0	+.6	74	21	53	24	16	39	26	2.69	0.1	11	5,796	w.	48	w.	21	4	11	15	6.7
Atlantic City	52	68	76	30.02	30.08	-.02	49.9	+.5	73	21	51	22	16	37	29	3.42	0.2	7	7,943	nw.	46	sw.	21	7	6	17	6.7
Cape May	17	47	51	30.07	30.09	-.02	50.6	+.4	73	21	51	22	16	37	29	3.42	0.2	7	7,943	nw.	46	sw.	21	7	6	17	6.7
Baltimore	123	68	82	29.93	30.06	-.04	49.6	+.2	79	21	57	28	16	45	30	2.16	1.3	8	9,022	nw.	48	w.	21	3	10	15	6.7
Washington	112	59	76	29.96	30.08	-.03	49.2	+.7	79	21	57	28	16	45	30	2.16	1.3	8	9,022	nw.	48	w.	21	3	10	15	6.7
Cape Henry	5	34	34	30.02	30.08	-.02	50.6	+.4	79	21	57	28	16	45	30	2.16	1.3	8	9,022	nw.	48	w.	21	3	10	15	6.7
Lynchburg	681	83	88	29.96	30.10	-.02	50.5	+.2	79	21	58	25	17	40	31	1.81	1.2	8	3,722	nw.	29	nw.	21	6	13	8	5.4
Norfolk	91	102	111	29.99	30.09	-.01	55.4	+.1	78	23	63	33	19	48	29	2.31	0.6	10	10,583	sw.	48	n.	9	11	9	10	5.0
Richmond	144	82	90	29.99	30.09	-.01	55.4	+.1	78	23	63	33	19	48	29	2.31	0.6	10	10,583	sw.	48	n.	9	11	9	10	5.0
S. Atlantic States.																											
Charlotte	773	68	76	29.98	30.11	-.02	52.0	+.3	82	23	62	28	16	43	34	3.34	0.2	9	7,283	s.	36	sw.	27	14	7	9	4.9
Hatteras	11	17	36	30.09	30.10	+.02	52.0	+.3	82	23	62	28	16	43	34	3.34	0.2	9	7,283	s.	36	sw.	27	14	7	9	4.9
Kittyhawk	8	12	30	30.09	30.10	+.02	52.0	+.3	82	23	62	28	16	43	34	3.34	0.2	9	7,283	s.	36	sw.	27	14	7	9	4.9
Raleigh	376	93	101	29.72	30.12	-.02	53.6	+.1	77	25	65	34	11	52	26	3.81	1.4	11	10,722	sw.	53	w.	25	13	5	12	5.0
Wilmington	78	82	90	30.03	30.12	-.02	57.8	+.2	81	25	68	33	10	48	29	3.33	1.2	8	4,377	n.	35	nw.	8	14	6	10	4.6
Charleston	48	14	92	30.09	30.14	+.04	56.0	+.2	81	25	68	33	10	48	29	3.33	1.2	8	4,377	n.	35	nw.	8	14	6	10	4.6
Columbia	180	89	103	29.92	30.12	+.02	56.5	+.1	85	25	68	33	10	48	29	3.33	1.2	8	4,377	n.	35	nw.	8	14	6	10	4.6
Augusta	65	79	89	30.06	30.12	+.02	60.9	+.1	81	25	68	33	10	48	29	3.33	1.2	8	4,377	n.	35	nw.	8	14	6	10	4.6
Savannah	48	69	84	30.07	30.12	+.04	63.5	+.1	85	25	68	33	10	48	29	3.33	1.2	8	4,377	n.	35	nw.	8	14	6	10	4.6
Jacksonville	28	13	30	30.04	30.06	+.01	72.6	+.8	83	27	66	33	10	48	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Florida Peninsula.	22	43	50	30.04	30.06	+.05	74.3	+.3	87	27	66	33	10	48	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Jupiter	38	13	30	30.04	30.06	+.01	72.6	+.8	83	27	66	33	10	48	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Key West	22	43	50	30.04	30.06	+.05	74.3	+.3	87	27	66	33	10	48	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Tampa	34	60	67	30.06	30.10	+.03	74.3	+.3	87	27	66	33	10	48	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
East Gulf States.																											
Atlanta	1,174	139	156	29.89	30.15	+.01	52.8	+.1	77	20	61	26	9	44	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Macon	370	93	99	29.92	30.15	+.01	53.8	+.2	77	20	61	26	9	44	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Pensacola	56	78	90	30.08	30.14	+.04	60.4	+.2	79	20	61	26	9	44	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Mobile	57	88	96	30.08	30.14	+.04	60.4	+.2	79	20	61	26	9	44	29	3.62	0.1	11	7,992	nw.	40	nw.	26	12	6	12	5.1
Montgomery	223	100	112	29.90	30.14	+.01	58.0	+.2	81	22	68	32	9	48	31	3.76	0.1	9	5,286	n.	36	nw.	25	17	4	9	4.2
Meridian	373	84	93	29.90	30.14	+.01	58.0	+.2	81	22	68	32	9	48	31	3.76	0.1	9	5,286	n.	36	nw.	25	17	4	9	4.2
Vicksburg	347	65	73	29.86	30.13	-.02	58.2	+.2	82	21	68	32	12	46	36	4.42	1.2	6	4,428	n.	30	nw.	25	16	5	9	4.3
New Orleans	51	88	121	30.08	30.14	+.06	64.2	+.3	83	21	68	32	12	46	36	4.42	1.2	6	4,428	n.	30	nw.	25	16	5	9	4.3
Port Beaufort	37	77	84	29.87	30.14	+.03	59.0	+.4	83	21	68	32	12	46	36	4.42	1.2	6	4,428	n.	30	nw.	25	16	5	9	4.3
West Gulf States.																											
Shreveport	349	77	84	29.87	30.14	+.03	59.0	+.4	83	21	68	32	12	46	36	4.42	1.2	6	4,428	n.	30	nw.	25	16	5	9	4.3
Port Smith	457	74	82	29.83	30.13	+.04	53.9	+.4	82	22	65	27	12	42	36	2.46	1.2	7	4,881	se.	30	nw.	24	14	4	12	

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TABLE I.—Climatological data for Weather Bureau Stations, November, 1900—Continued.

TABLE I.—Climatological data for Weather Bureau Stations, November, 1900—Continued.																										
Stations.	Elevation of instruments		Pressure, in inches.		Temperature of the air, in degrees Fahrenheit.										Precipitation, in inches.			Wind.				Clear days.	Partly cloudy days.	Cloudy days.	Average cloudiness, tenths.	Total snowfall.
	Barometer above sea level, feet.	Thermometers above ground.	Anemometer above ground.	Mean actual, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. + 2.	Mean reduced.	Departure from normal.	Mean maximum.	Mean minimum.	Greatest daily range.	Mean wet-bulb thermometer.	Mean temperature of the dew-point.	Mean relative humidity, per cent.	Total.	Departure from normal.	Days with .01 or more.	Total movement, miles.	Prevailing direction.	Miles per hour.	Direction.	Date.						
Upper Mis. Valley.																										
Minneapolis.....	99	308	29.19	30.13	+.07	33.0	1.1	64	35	8	15	22	26	76	1.21	0.4	7,096	nw.	32	n.	7	7	6	17	5.6	7.6
St. Paul.....	837	114	29.19	30.13	+.07	28.6	0.6	62	35	9	15	24	33	79	0.61	0.1	5,371	nw.	30	nw.	13	6	10	12	5.9	8.6
La Crosse.....	714	70	29.43	30.11	+.03	29.4	0.5	62	37	10	15	26	34	80	0.88	0.2	4,860	s.	28	nw.	13	6	9	15	6.3	2.5
Davenport.....	606	71	29.20	30.17	+.08	31.6	0.8	66	44	11	13	27	30	82	1.04	0.4	5,420	w.	31	nw.	21	9	8	13	6.1	1.5
Des Moines.....	861	84	29.30	30.13	+.06	35.6	0.8	71	45	11	15	28	30	82	0.96	0.8	5,144	n.	27	sw.	13	7	11	12	5.9	4.3
Dubuque.....	606	101	29.34	30.13	+.06	35.0	0.0	67	42	16	26	32	31	81	1.64	0.5	5,463	nw.	34	nw.	13	7	11	12	4.9	0.2
Keokuk.....	614	63	29.45	30.16	+.07	39.8	1.0	69	56	14	41	32	37	79	4.63	0.4	6,691	nw.	36	nw.	13	10	9	10	5.8	1.2
Calro.....	356	87	29.76	30.12	+.03	42.2	1.3	72	4	50	18	14	34	74	2.61	0.4	7,348	nw.	30	w.	20	11	7	10	4.9	T.
Springfield, Ill.	644	82	29.41	30.12	+.03	41.6	1.4	70	4	51	19	14	32	74	1.27	0.9	8,042	sw.	30	n.	15	14	7	9	4.6	0.3
Hannibal.....	534	75	29.50	30.13	+.03	47.4	3.8	80	4	56	25	16	39	33	3.10	0.0										
St. Louis.....	567	111	29.50	30.13	+.03	37.0	0.2	73	43	0.6	73	17	14	32	0.79	0.5										
Missouri Valley.																										
Columbia.....	784	4	29.11	30.17	+.07	42.2	1.5	71	3	50	21	21	34	35	1.24	1.6	6,250	sw.	33	nw.	13	9	9	12	5.2	0.1
Kansas City.....	963	78	29.11	30.17	+.07	47.5	4.0	76	22	57	24	12	38	31	1.26	0.9	6,069	nw.	36	n.	13	14	6	10	4.5	T.
Springfield, Mo.	1,324	100	28.70	30.13	+.04	41.6	0.4	72	3	51	17	21	32	35	0.86	0.6	7,279	n.	28	se.	16	15	11	9	5.2	0.5
Topeka.....	81	84	28.83	30.15	+.03	37.5	0.6	74	3	48	11	21	28	31	0.03	0.9	6,845	n.	40	n.	13	13	9	8	4.7	0.2
Lincoln.....	1,189	75	28.92	30.14	+.03	37.0	0.4	72	3	46	12	21	29	26	0.15	0.9	5,962	n.	33	nw.	13	11	7	12	5.4	1.3
Omaha.....	1,105	115	28.92	30.14	+.03	33.0	1.3	74	3	45	6	21	26	28	0.26	0.2	6,544	w.	42	nw.	10	13	6	10	5.2	2.2
Valentine.....	2,598	39	27.36	30.18	+.07	33.6	0.7	71	3	42	4	21	26	28	0.36	0.4	7,676	nw.	38	nw.	10	13	8	9	5.3	3.3
Sioux City.....	1,135	96	28.44	30.19	+.08	31.0	0.9	74	3	41	6	21	26	28	0.33	0.1	4,889	nw.	34	nw.	13	12	8	10	5.0	1.6
Pierre.....	1,572	43	28.71	30.18	+.07	28.2	1.3	70	3	39	3	21	23	28	0.17	0.4	7,264	nw.	36	nw.	10	11	10	9	5.0	3.6
Huron.....	1,306	56	28.71	30.18	+.07	32.8	0.0	74	3	43	1	21	23	28	0.37	0.3	5,327	nw.	33	nw.	10	14	7	9	4.9	
Yankton.....	1,233	52	27.16	30.20	+.07	31.8	0.5	76	3	50	4	21	24	29	0.52	0.5										
Northern Slope.																										
Havre.....	2,505	46	27.41	30.18	+.09	28.8	6.1	65	8	35	30	18	32	19	0.64	0.0	7,310	sw.	38	sw.	25	11	11	8	5.4	6.4
Miles City.....	2,371	42	27.55	30.17	+.04	27.8	3.5	68	12	40	12	20	16	44	0.39	0.0	3,481	sw.	48	nw.	9	16	8	6	3.9	3.7
Helena.....	4,110	88	26.85	30.20	+.06	29.5	2.0	63	2	38	17	20	21	32	0.87	0.0	4,625	sw.	48	nw.	12	8	14	8	5.8	4.8
Kalispell.....	2,965	45	26.90	30.20	+.06	27.8	1.3	68	4	35	12	21	27	26	0.84	0.0	3,550	nw.	24	nw.	16	5	7	18	7.1	14.9
Rapid City.....	3,234	46	26.66	30.12	+.01	33.6	1.3	74	3	45	6	21	26	28	0.09	0.2	4,812	nw.	54	w.	21	16	6	8	4.3	0.7
Cheyenne.....	6,088	56	24.67	30.17	+.04	37.4	3.2	67	12	50	5	20	19	47	0.83	0.3	1,959	sw.	27	w.	23	18	7	5	3.7	3.3
Lander.....	5,372	28	24.67	30.20	+.01	37.0	1.8	76	3	50	4	21	24	29	0.09	0.5	5,340	w.	36	nw.	10	12	12	6	4.6	1.0
North Platte.....	2,821	43	27.16	30.20	+.07	45.4	1.9	74	12	56	16	30	28	45	0.37	0.3	5,650	s.	46	w.	21	14	11	5	3.9	0.8
Middle Slope.																										
Denver.....	5,291	79	24.76	30.17	+.01	41.8	2.8	79	12	56	16	30	28	45	0.12	0.2	4,410	nw.	48	w.	21	20	7	3	3.5	0.4
Pueblo.....	4,685	80	25.34	30.15	+.04	41.0	3.2	79	3	49	7	21	30	37	0.20	0.6	4,150	s.	24	nw.	10	14	8	8	4.2	1.8
Concordia.....	1,998	42	26.65	30.18	+.06	39.5	0.5	73	3	47	17	25	30	49	0.09	0.4	3,156	ne.	40	n.	17	16	8	6	4.2	0.3
Dodge.....	2,509	44	27.48	30.15	+.06	43.6	3.4	79	4	57	17	25	30	49	0.21	0.7	5,782	n.	30	n.	21	13	9	8	4.7	T.
Wichita.....	1,358	78	28.69	30.16	+.05	44.4	1.6	76	4	54	22	21	35	34	2.10	0.2	6,143	s.	31	n.	24	16	9	5	2.8	
Oklahoma.....	1,214	54	28.82	30.14	+.05	50.2	0.9	78	22	62	28	12	38	36	0.16	0.6										
Southern Slope.																										
Abilene.....	1,738	45	28.28	30.13	+.02	52.0	3.8	81	22	68	31	25	44	35	0.24	1.1	5,252	s.	36	w.	20	20	5	5	3.4	
Amarillo.....	3,676	54	26.31	30.13	+.03	48.0	3.5	77	4	61	24	11	35	42	0.08	0.2	10,107	s.	56	n.	24	21	7	2	2.4	
Southern Plateau.																										
El Paso.....	3,762	10	26.26	30.13	+.06	53.2	1.7	80	8	68	29	26	38	44	0.23	0.3	5,604	nw.	40	w.	20	19	7	4	2.8	4.1
Santa Fe.....	7,013	47	23.32	30.15	+.05	41.3	3.7	64	3	51	23	25	32	30	0.74	0.0	4,308	ne.	28	nw.	24	20	6	4	2.8	7.8
Flagstaff.....	6,907	12	23.40	30.34	+.01	37.8	0.4	64	4	52	13	12	24	49	2.13	1.3	3,575	e.	23	e.	11	20	4	6	2.7	
Phoenix.....	1,108	47	28.86	30.03	+.01	62.8	4.9	89	4	77	40	30	49	41	0.73	0.3	2,575	e.	27	n.	11					

TABLE II.—Climatological record of voluntary and other cooperating observers, November, 1900.

Stations.	Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)			Precipitation.	
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rain and melted snow.	Total depth of snow.
Alabama.	°	°	°	Ins.	Ins.
Ashville.....	77	27	51.0	3.53	
Benton.....	85	31	59.4	2.78	
Bermuda.....	79	35	56.4	5.84	
Birmingham.....	85	35	58.8	1.92	
Brewton.....				5.21	
Bridgeport.....				2.93	
Burkeville.....				4.70	
Calera.....	83	34	61.9	1.56	
Citronelle.....	75	29	54.0	5.16	
Clanton.....	80	30	58.4	1.01	
Daphne.....	79	24	52.5	3.87	T.
Decatur.....				2.34	
Demopolis.....	81	25	56.4	2.17	
Eufaula.....				2.50	
Eufaula C.....	83	30	56.6	3.88	
Eutaw.....	81	31	57.6	2.51	
Evergreen.....				3.20	
Florence.....	78	25	51.6	3.08	
Florence S.....	80	25	55.2	4.37	
Gadsden.....	81	30	56.4	5.57	
Goodwater.....				3.88	
Greenville.....	74	26	53.2	3.85	
Hamilton.....	84	30	58.2	2.60	
Healing Springs.....				4.95	
Helena.....	81	30	58.4	3.22	
Highland Home.....				3.44	
LeFayette.....	82	28	56.2	3.52	
Livingstone.....	78	27	53.4	5.04	
Look No. 4.....	78	23	52.6	3.78	T.
Madison Station.....	77	25	50.8	4.73	
Maple Grove.....	82	30	59.5	4.30	
Marion.....	80	29	56.0	4.25	
Newbern.....	72	30	52.0	1.70	
Newburg.....	77	26	53.2	1.99	
Newton.....				3.90	
Notasulga.....	75	34	52.1	5.01	
Oneonta.....	77	29	54.3	7.80	
Opelika.....	79	28	55.0	5.24	
Ozanna.....	84	25	58.2	1.30	
Pineapple.....	81	29	56.8		
Prattville.....	80	30	57.4	2.34	
Pushmataha.....	78	25	51.2	4.52	
Riverton.....	79	25	51.5	2.98	T.
Scottsboro.....	84	31	58.4	2.00	
Selma.....	79	25	52.8	4.25	
Talladega.....				4.30	
Tallapoosa.....	86	31	56.7	1.30	
Thomasville.....	81	27	53.8	4.64	
Tuscaloosa.....	83	29	57.6	5.01	
Tuskegee.....	82	28	56.6	3.15	
Union Springs.....	77	23	51.4	4.29	
Valleyhead.....				6.57	
Verona.....	82	30	56.9	5.13	
Wetumpka.....				0.69	
Arizona.					
Allaire Ranch.....	80	34	58.5	1.82	
Arivaca.....	88	41	62.4	2.36	
Arizona Canal Co. Dam.....	97	41	66.8	0.26	
Axtell.....	80	40	60.7	0.28	
Benson.....	76	33	54.4	1.31	
Bisbee.....	72	37	54.1	0.30	
Bowie.....	83	32	60.4	0.90	
Buckeye.....	81	38	59.2	2.77	
Camp Creek.....	82	48	65.0	1.25	
Casagrande.....	92	35	61.5	2.05	
Chaparral Camp.....	79	35	56.0	0.00	
Cochise.....	82	38	61.8	1.77	
Congress.....				0.95	
Dragon Summit.....	88	25	56.9	1.45	
Dudleyville.....	75	29	46.6	4.86	T.
Fort Apache.....	63	16	38.8	0.70	
Fort Defiance.....	90	36	59.4	2.87	
Fort Grant.....	77	34	57.1	0.55	
Fort Huachuca.....	87	38	61.4	0.55	
Fort Mohave.....	90	46	66.6	0.00	
Gilaband.....	74	33	53.5	2.10	
Jerome.....	78	40	57.1	1.25	
Maricopa.....	80	40	62.0	2.30	
Mesa.....	76	28	55.2	2.51	
Mount Huachuca.....				2.55	
Natural Bridge.....	86	25	58.1	1.33	
Nogales.....	75	37	57.7	3.01	
Oracle.....				0.62	
Oro.....	85	50	63.9	0.00	
Pantano.....	94	32	63.1	0.20	
Parker.....	91	38	62.9	2.90	
Peoria.....	87	34	59.8	1.65	
Phoenix.....	80			2.02	
Pima.....				7.87	
Pinal Ranch.....	75	18	44.8	2.35	T.
Prescott.....	86	29	54.9	2.86	
San Carlos.....	98	50	69.1	0.50	
Sentinel.....	92	29	59.2	6.64	
Signal.....	77	13	43.0	1.90	0.5
Silverking.....					
Strawberry.....					
Arizona—Cont'd.					
Supai.....	73	33	52.4	0.10	
Tombstone.....	76	36	56.0	0.25	
Tonto.....	81	31	57.6	2.56	
Tuba.....	67	24	46.2	T.	
Tucson.....	88	32	60.2	2.45	
Vail.....	84	45	64.6	1.40	
Walnut Grove.....				1.10	
Willcox.....	90	26	60.7	0.48	
Winslow.....	69	18	43.6	0.30	
Yarnell.....				2.86	
Arkansas.					
Amity.....	79	28	53.8	2.94	
Arkadelphia.....	78	24	53.2	3.77	
Arkansas City.....				1.79	
Batesville.....	81	24	52.4	4.17	
Beebranch.....	81	27	55.8	4.30	
Blanchard Springs.....	82	24	55.2	2.80	
Brinkley.....	78	23	52.2	6.97	
Camden.....				2.62	
Conway.....	79	24	53.1	4.00	
Corning.....	77	22	48.3	3.65	
Dallas.....	76	26	53.2	4.46	
Dardanelle.....				3.70	
Elon.....	82	26	56.6	4.03	
Fayetteville.....	78	20	49.4	3.53	T.
Fulton.....	77	25	49.5	3.71	
Hardy.....				3.42	
Helena.....	80	29	54.2	7.26	
Helena S.....				6.68	
Hot Springs.....				5.42	
Jonesboro.....	82	24	51.7	5.74	
Keesee Ferry.....	83	21	50.6	3.81	T.
Lacrosse.....	78	25	50.8	2.21	
Lonoke.....	80	23	52.2	9.39	
Luttrellville.....	73	24	51.4	4.76	
Malvern.....	79	23	52.9	4.64	
Marianna.....	78	24	51.0	5.03	
Marvell.....	80	26	51.6	3.97	
Mossville.....	74	24	48.8	4.48	
Mount Nebo.....	74	27	49.8	3.77	T.
New Gascony.....	80	27	54.1	2.88	
Newport.....				3.94	
Newport S.....	79	23	51.6	3.69	
Newport T.....	79	22	50.5	3.85	
Oregon.....	81	24	50.4	4.30	
Ozark.....	81	22	51.3	8.90	
Ozark.....	80	25	52.2	3.38	
Pinebluff.....	80	25	53.5	4.06	
Pocahontas.....	72	26	49.4	3.24	
Pond.....	74	18	49.6	5.40	T.
Prescott.....	79	25	53.7	4.73	
Rison.....	81	24	53.6	3.15	
Rosendale.....	81	33	55.0	1.87	
Russellville.....	79	25	49.4	3.10	
Silversprings.....	82	21	50.4	4.41	
Spilerville.....	82	26	52.4	4.93	
Stamps.....	80	24	53.4	4.66	
Stuttgart.....	81	23	52.2	4.34	
Texarkana.....	87	25	60.2	3.35	
Warren.....	82	26	54.4	3.23	
Washington.....	79	25	54.5	3.17	
Wicks.....	76	22	52.0	4.74	
Winslow.....	74	21	47.6	4.47	
Witts Springs.....	74	22	48.8	6.63	
California.					
Angiola.....	87	30	56.0	1.96	
Bakersfield.....	88	34	56.3	1.00	
Ballast Point L. H.....				1.47	
Bear Valley.....				14.30	44.0
Bellevue.....				1.82	15.0
Berkeley.....	78	43	55.8	5.04	
Beverly.....				5.40	75.0
Bishop.....				2.69	
Boca.....	62	10	37.3	5.73	88.0
Bodie.....	60	—	30.0	3.93	86.0
Bowman.....				11.47	83.0
Branscomb.....				8.23	0.8
Callente.....	87	42	57.9	2.13	
Campbell.....	82	38	55.8	5.64	
Cape Mendocino L. H.....				7.45	
Cedarville.....	66	16	40.1	2.53	25.0
Chico.....	86	40	57.0	4.75	
Cisco.....	61	23	39.4	10.43	48.0
Claremont.....	89	37	60.0	8.72	
Corning.....	75	40	54.0	3.80	
Craftonville.....	92	44	63.2	3.93	
Crescent City.....	74	31	51.1	6.07	
Crescent City L. H.....				5.57	
Cuyamaca.....	65	31	49.1	11.97	
Delano.....	80	40	59.6	2.20	
Delta.....	80	36	54.0	10.51	1.0
Deweyville.....	85	39	56.4	1.65	
Drytown.....	80	34	55.6	6.84	
Dunnigan.....	74	41	56.1	4.27	
Durham.....	80	38	54.8	4.63	
Edmonton.....	70	28	43.4	13.13	30.0
California—Cont'd.					
East Brother L. H.....				1.80	
El Cajon.....	98	33	63.4	2.61	
Elmdale.....	88	31	55.6	3.74	
Elsinore.....	96	38	63.0	5.04	
Escondido.....	94	27	56.3	4.05	
Fallbrook.....	92	41	63.2	5.06	
Fordyce Dam.....				8.43	46.0
Fort Ross.....	78	40	54.6	6.00	
Gilroy (near).....	92	36	58.5	6.48	
Goshen.....	81	40	56.4	2.87	
Grand Island.....	78	38	57.1	2.61	
Grass Valley.....				9.57	
Greenville.....	70	26	43.3	7.17	25.0
Hanford.....	82	34	55.7	1.65	
Healdsburg.....	84	32	54.7	5.14	
Hollister.....	89	34	56.4	5.69	
Humboldt L. H.....				7.24	
Indio.....	87	45	62.5	0.17	
Iowa Hill.....	74	36	53.6	9.65	
Irvine.....	102	50	70.6	5.14	
Jackson (near).....	76	34	53.2	8.32	
Jolon.....				7.53	
Kennedy Gold Mine.....	76	36	52.0	8.75	
Kent.....				7.72	
Kingsburg.....	79	42	60.2	2.60	
Kono Tayee.....	68	38	52.2	3.89	
Lakeside.....				3.60	
Lamesa.....				2.38	
Lankershim.....	85	37	56.2	3.64	
Laporte.....	67	27	41.8	14.30	37.1
Las Fuentes Ranch.....				5.79	
Legrand.....	83	36	55.3	5.13	
Lemoore.....				5.85	
Lemoore.....	78	36	54.9	2.13	
Lick Observatory.....	74	30	51.1	7.76	T.
Lime Point L. H.....				3.00	
Lodi.....	76	40	55.8	4.87	
Los Gatos.....	85	39	57.4	9.27	
Mammoth.....	88	49	67.4	0.00	
Mare Island L. H.....				3.00	
Merced.....	86	37	56.2	4.16	
Mills College.....				5.11	
Milo.....				8.28	
Milton (near).....				4.25	
Modesto.....	88	45	59.2	4.24	
Mohave.....				1.66	
Mokelumne Hill.....				7.60	
Monterey.....	76	34	58.2	3.08	
Monterey.....	82	40	60.9	4.65	
Morena.....	81	33	59.0	5.30	
Mountainview.....				4.03	
Mutah.....				5.00	
Napa.....	89	38	57.2	6.33	
Needles.....	82	42	62.8	0.12	
Nevada City.....	73	32	49.7	9.23	
Newhall.....	90	40	58.6	5.24	
Niles.....	84	45	59.2	4.67	
North Bloomfield.....	77	33	51.6	10.99	2.0
North Ontario.....	84	44	61.2	8.17	
North San Juan.....	82	34	55.8	8.81	
Oakland.....	74	43	56.2	5.00	
Ogilby.....	95	56	73		

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California—Cont'd.						Colorado—Cont'd.						Florida—Cont'd.					
Sacramento	75	38	54.6	5.14	Ins.	Moraine	64	9	37.0	0.47	7.0	St. Francis	86	30	63.0	0.63	Ins.
Salinas*1	79	41	66.6	5.65		Pagoda	61	9	36.0	0.85	8.5	Sebastian	82	45	68.0	0.51	
Salton*1	93	49	67.3	0.00		Parachute	64	19	39.1	1.24	5.0	Stephensville*1	84	37	58.9	1.24	
San Bernardino	94	34	61.2	6.10		Perrypark				0.40	T.	Summer	80	27	61.8	0.82	
San Jacinto	89	35	59.8	4.57		Rockyford	77	9	40.6	0.06		Switzerland*1	83	39	61.0	1.83	
San Leandro*5	81	40	55.6	5.09		Rogers Mesa	65	16	40.0	0.67	4.9	Tallahassee	79	36	59.7	1.52	
San Luis L. H.				4.82		Saguache	69	3	37.0	0.07	1.0	Tarpon Springs	82	33	63.3	0.40	
San Mateo*1	70	44	59.4	5.39		Salida	74	6	38.8	0.17	2.2	Georgia.					
San Miguel*1	84	37	57.3	4.45		San Luis	69	-5	34.2	0.38	4.3	Adairsville	75	27	51.0	3.35	
San Miguel Island	88	48	61.2	1.70		Santa Clara	69	11	39.8	0.63	4.5	Albany	84	32	59.4	4.07	
Santa Ana	98	43	63.4	3.72		Sapinero				0.75	13.5	Allapaha	82	30	58.4	1.25	
Santa Barbara	90	49	64.3	3.99		Sargents				0.62	9.0	Allentown	82	27	58.4	6.61	
Santa Barbara L. H.				3.00		Seibert				0.32	1.0	Americus	81	30	56.6	2.91	
Santa Clara				7.87		Silt	64	17	38.5	1.16	5.5	Athens	73	30	52.8	3.74	
Santa Cruz	89	36	55.5	8.03		Springfield					T.	Auburn	77	24	53.6	3.12	
Santa Cruz L. H.				5.40		Sugarloaf	62	9	36.8	0.20	2.0	Blakely	80	30	57.6	2.55	
Santa Maria	92	40	61.7	5.66		Trinidad	78	17	47.2	0.12		Brent	80	28	56.4	4.36	
Santa Monica	92	47	64.1	4.71		Troutvale	58	-18	25.9	0.85	13.0	Canton				4.44	
Santa Paula	92	46	65.8	5.60		T. S. Ranch	61	21	41.4	0.64	4.5	Carlton				3.46	T.
Santa Rosa*5	73	38	54.8	5.82		Twinklakes				0.21	3.0	Clayton	76	19	50.0	3.76	
Shasta	82	30	56.0	10.96		Villas				0.00		Columbus	78	31	55.8	4.30	
Sierra Madre	89	47	64.8	4.52		Wagon Wheel	64	-14	27.6	1.16	14.5	Covington	77	26	53.9	3.69	
Snedden				3.62		Walden	55	-3	28.1	0.23	3.0	Dahlonega	79	18	48.7	2.94	
Sonoma				3.81		Walton				0.08	1.0	Dublin				2.15	
S. E. Farallone L. H.	76	40	55.4	4.65		Westcliffe	64	1	35.0	1.26	12.4	Elberton	76	27	54.8	3.57	
Stanford University	74	50	60.2	18.91	38.0	Wray	80	-5	38.8	0.20	2.5	Experiment	73	27	53.0	3.18	
Stockton	75	25	48.0	3.29	20.0	Yuma				0.17	3.0	Fitzgerald	84	28	59.2	3.52	
Summerdale	60	25	40.4	4.61		Connecticut.						Fleming	83	28	58.0	1.83	
Susanville	79	40	56.1	1.06		Bridgeport	72	19	45.6	5.25	0.3	Fort Gaines	79	32	58.2	2.56	
Tehama*1	85	33	58.4	9.37		Canton	72	14	41.0	6.33	T.	Franklin	77	27	54.0	3.04	
Tejon Ranch	80	36	51.0	3.95		Colchester	73	15	44.0	6.78	0.5	Gainesville	73	27	52.4	8.16	
Therapton*1	82	37	56.4	6.83		Falls Village				5.55	12.5	Gillsville	78	23	53.4	3.25	
Thermalito				2.50	25.0	Hartford	70	22	43.0	5.13	0.5	Greenbush	73	24	51.6	4.66	
Trinidad L. H.	66	22	37.4	2.70		Hawleyville	69	18	43.6	6.82	2.6	Harrison	82	29	57.4	4.45	
Truckee*1				2.41		Lake Konomoc				6.43		Hawkinsville	80	33	57.2	4.27	
Tulare	88	36	57.6	5.42		Middletown	74	17	43.5	6.88	0.2	Heplzibah				1.70	
Tulare	80	30	51.8	5.08		New London	72	34	46.7	5.15	0.5	Jesup	84	31	59.6	1.56	
Ukiah	76	27	51.4	6.56		North Grosvenor Dale	73	11	40.6	6.30		Lost Mountain	76	26	52.6	3.16	
Upperlake	70	32	48.4	6.26		Norwalk	70	16	43.8	4.92		Lumpkin	79	29	58.6	3.78	
Upper Mattole*1	81	37	56.2	4.47		Southington	68	16	43.0	5.70	1.0	Marshallville	78	29	53.2	4.30	
Vacaville*1	93	48	63.6	2.86		Storrs	70	16	41.4	6.79	2.1	Mauzy	86	28	60.8	1.66	
Ventura	86	31	57.0	0.05		Voluntown	73	9	42.6	6.63	T.	Millen	84	28	57.0	2.86	
Visalia	93	42	66.5	3.73		Wallingford				5.97		Monticello	80	29	58.2		
Volcano Springs*1	78	40	57.6	3.98		Waterbury	71	16	43.4	5.96	0.5	Morgan	83	28	54.4	2.00	
Walnutcreek				2.58		West Cornwall	65	15	33.9	5.29	16.0	Naylor	85	28	60.0	1.85	
West Saticoy	77	35	54.2	5.87		West Simsbury				5.98	1.0	Newnan	75	27	52.8	2.86	
Wheatland	80	42	58.0	3.65		Winsted*1	66	19	39.3			Oakdale				2.86	
Williams*1	94	40	59.1	2.00	12.0	Delaware.						Point Peter				3.62	T.
Wilmington*1	76	34	54.5	0.09	1.2	Milford				2.75		Poulan	84	28	58.6	4.49	
Wire Bridge*5				0.12	1.5	Millboro	76	23	50.3	3.81	T.	Putnam	80	27	56.8	3.18	
Yerba Buena L. H.	76	12	44.6	0.19	3.1	Newark	74	22	47.2	1.57		Quitman	82	28	58.7	1.41	
Yreka	66	13	43.2	0.00		Seaford	74	26	50.5	2.23	T.	Ramsey	77	24	51.4	4.53	T.
Colorado.						District of Columbia.						Roscoe				5.35	
Alford	74	-4	38.1	0.12	1.5	Distributing Reservoir*5	75	28	49.8	1.95		Rome	76	26	51.4	5.43	
Arkins	85	11	45.8	0.00		Receiving Reservoir*5	75	29	49.0	2.05		Statesboro	84	29	59.8	2.70	
Blaine	76	12	44.6	0.19	3.1	West Washington	81	24	49.1	2.35	0.4	Talbotton	81	37	54.3	5.44	
Boulder				0.00		Florida.						Tallapoosa	74	25	52.4	3.46	
Boxelder				0.44	5.9	Archer	87	31	62.5	0.42		Thomasville	82	31	61.2	1.28	
Breckenridge	57	-6	29.0	0.17	1.5	Bartow	86	33	65.8	1.61		Tooea				8.11	
Buenavista				0.49	1.0	Brooksville	84	38	64.8	0.22		Valona	84	30	62.3	3.06	
Canyon	78	14	43.7	0.33	4.0	Carrabelle	79	36	61.2	0.32		Washington				2.90	
Castlerock	72	8	38.9	1.01	4.0	Clermont	90	41	67.7	0.10		Waycross	83	32	59.1	2.96	
Cedarledge	68	16	39.2	0.80	9.5	Dalkeith	84	32	60.6	3.03		Waynesboro	79	23	54.8	2.27	
Cheyenne Wells				0.80	4.5	De Funiak Springs	82	29	60.0	2.64		Westpoint	78	29	55.2	2.40	
Clearview	64	1	33.5	0.55	5.5	Deland	91	28	64.3			Woodbury				5.16	
Collbran	63	11	37.8	0.31	2.5	Earnestville	87	40	66.0	0.55		Idaho.					
Colorado Springs	70	12	40.6	0.14	1.4	Eustis	91	38	66.9	0.72		Albion	67	10	37.8	1.39	4.0
Cope	76	4	38.6	0.93	11.0	Federal Point	83	36	63.3	1.19		American Falls	68	0	34.5	0.90	8.0
Cripplecreek	58	10	38.6	0.57	3.1	Fort George*1	84	44	64.7			Atlanta	68	6	33.6	1.72	17.0
Delta	70	12	39.3	0.19	2.5	Fort Meade	86	33	66.4	2.23		Blackfoot	64	1	34.2	1.00	10.0
Dumont				2.22	27.0	Gainesville	85	38	64.2	0.69		Burnside	59	0	30.6	0.90	11.0
Durango	73	4	35.1	0.07	1.2	Huntington	84	36	62.4	1.04		Chesterfield	57	-6	28.7	1.61	11.0
Fort Collins	74	9	37.8	0.20	2.0	Hypoluxo	90	48	74.8	2.79		Downey	61	9	35.3	0.74	7.0
Fox				1.02	12.0	Inverness	88	31	63.1	0.62		Forney	56	3	30.8	0.39	9.2
Gilman				0.38	4.5	Jasper	84	32	61.1	1.35		Garnet	73	16	42.0	0.62	6.2
Glennville	65	10	40.0	0.04	T.	Kissimmee	87	36	67.6	1.62		Hagerman	75	4	42.0	1	

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Illinois—Cont'd.						Indiana—Cont'd.						Iowa—Cont'd.					
Astoria	67	15	40.0	1.16	1.2	Delphi	72	12	39.9	4.14	1.0	Cresco	63	— 9	27.6	1.22	3.9
Aurora	66	9	36.8	3.23		Edwardsville*	73	23	46.9	7.08	1.2	Cumberland				0.20	2.0
Bloomington	72	14	40.8	3.96	2.7	Fairmount	72	12	41.0	3.73	3.5	Danville				3.35	4.0
Bushnell	69	9	38.9	1.40	3.5	Farmland	72	13	40.4	3.70	2.5	Decorah	66	— 1	30.0	1.60	5.5
Cambridge	63	14	37.0	2.16	4.0	Franklin	76	21	43.0	3.31	T.	Delaware	65	2	32.0	1.77	4.0
Carlisle	76	16	43.8	2.43	T.	Greencastle	71	18	42.6	4.19	T.	Denison	68	4	33.0	0.10	1.2
Centralia	70	17	40.2	3.15		Greensburg	72	12	44.2	2.44		Desoto	66	10	35.0	1.41	3.0
Charleston	73	17	42.8	2.81	T.	Hammond	75	11	38.9	2.84	4.0	Dows	68	— 3	30.5	1.06	6.2
Chemung	62	3	33.9	2.83	5.2	Hector	70	10	40.8	5.90	2.5	Eldon	72	13	37.2	2.09	1.7
Chester				5.21		Huntington	69	16	39.5	5.15	8.5	Elkader	74	— 2	32.6	2.07	8.0
Ciano	79	17	46.4	3.45		Jeffersonville	75	24	47.0	6.82	T.	Emerson				0.11	
Coatsburg	67	14	40.5	0.91	0.5	Knightstown	74	15	40.9	3.71	0.5	Estherville	68	— 1	27.8	0.60	6.0
Cobden	77	17	47.6	4.00		Kokomo	72	17	42.0	4.29	1.8	Fayette	66	4	29.7	1.68	8.2
Decatur	73	14	41.9	3.48	0.5	Lafayette	72	14	41.3	4.60	0.6	Fonda	66	— 6	29.3	1.16	5.8
Dixon	68	12	36.8	2.10	0.7	Laporte	76	13	40.4	4.99	13.0	Forest City	65	— 1	29.8	0.38	1.5
Dwight	68	10	38.2	3.35	3.0	Logansport	71	15	41.4	4.16	T.	Fort Dodge	68	0	32.3	1.08	4.0
Edinburgh	75	17	44.3	3.27	T.	Madison	75	18	46.0	4.98	T.	Fort Madison				3.08	2.0
Equality	78	13	47.2	4.07		Madison				5.33		Fruitland	68	11	37.0		
Flora	78	17	45.4	3.04	T.	Marengo	76	19	45.0	5.33	T.	Galva	79	3	31.0	0.70	7.0
Friendgrove*	74	24	47.3	4.55		Marion	72	14	41.0	4.50	3.7	Gilman				1.11	2.0
Galva	65	11	37.4	1.63	5.3	Markle	71	12	40.8	4.30	3.0	Glenwood	75	7	37.5	T.	
Glenwood				3.11	2.0	Mauzy	75	13	42.1	3.65	1.0	Grand Meadow*	58	1	30.0	1.67	7.5
Grafton				2.29		Northfield	73	14	40.9	4.50	1.0	Greene	68	— 6	31.0	1.46	
Grayville	82	23	48.8	3.60		Paoli	78	19	45.4	5.04	0.5	Greenfield	68	8	35.4	0.80	2.3
Greenville	77	17	45.8	4.05		Peru	69	14	40.6	3.47	2.2	Grinnell	67	6	34.0	1.02	
Griggsville	73	11	42.9	1.66		Prairie Creek	78	19	43.0	3.41		Grinnell (near)	68	6	33.8	1.85	7.0
Halfway	77	18	47.5	3.40		Princeton				4.05		Grundy Center	68	2	32.0	1.69	3.0
Halliday	75	17	47.4	3.89		Rensselaer	69	15	41.0	4.90		Guthrie Center	68	9	34.8	1.30	9.5
Havana	76	12	44.4	1.57	T.	Richmond	71	12	41.4	3.76	T.	Hampton	69	2	31.4	0.93	5.2
Henry	69	10	39.4	2.25	4.0	Rockville	75	16	42.2	3.72	T.	Harlan	67	6	33.4	0.56	4.7
Hillsboro	74	17	43.3	2.78	T.	Salem	78	17	46.1	4.18		Hawkeye				1.70	7.0
Joliet	68	10	38.1	3.10	6.5	Scottsburg	76	18	45.6	4.25	T.	Hedrick	67	10	34.4	1.66	1.5
Kishwaukee	65	6	34.3	1.93	3.0	Seymour	75	19	44.0	4.03	T.	Hopeville	68	10	34.6	0.76	
Knoxville	66	8	37.2	2.28	5.5	Shelbyville	74	18	42.5	2.40		Hopkirk				0.15	1.5
Ladrange	76	7	37.4	3.32	2.5	South Bend	70	9	40.1	5.26	17.5	Humboldt	65	3	31.5	1.02	7.1
Lamar	68	14	38.4	1.38	1.8	Syracuse	70	11	38.8	6.68	21.0	Independence	67	1	31.7	1.26	3.7
Lanark	65	6	32.9	1.86	6.2	Terre Haute	77	19	45.2	4.37		Indianola	71	9	35.6	0.93	2.3
Leoni				2.74	T.	Topeka	70	10	40.0	4.53	T.	Iowa City	69	12	36.1	1.43	1.0
McLeansboro	78	18	46.0	3.97		Valparaiso	68	14	39.8	0.80		Iowa Falls	67	0	30.1	1.31	6.5
Martinsville	68	20	43.3	2.96		Veersburg	73	15	43.7	3.43	1.2	Keosauqua	67	17	38.4	2.04	0.5
Martinton	70	10	39.6	3.78	2.5	Vevay	74	20	47.4	5.55	1.0	Knoxville	70	6	34.0	0.93	1.5
Mascoutah	78	20	44.4	3.84		Vincennes	79	19	44.7	4.38		Lacona				1.15	3.5
Matteson	74	20	45.6	3.24	T.	Washington	78	22	45.0	2.53		Lansing	71	2	32.6	1.92	5.3
Minonk	71	12	38.8	2.66	5.5	Winamac	77	10	41.9	5.58	7.0	Larrabee	67	— 4	31.2	0.48	5.3
Monmouth	67	8	37.3	2.39	2.0	Worthington	70	17	43.2	3.57		Leclaire				1.59	2.5
Monticello	79	13	42.4	4.04	0.5	Indian Territory.						Lemars	68	1	32.2	0.34	2.5
Morrisville	72	12	43.9	2.21	T.	Bengal	79	21	52.9	2.42		Lenox	67	8	35.7	0.45	1.3
Mount Carmel				4.32		Claremore	85	21	51.9	2.65	T.	Logan	67	2	32.4	0.41	
Mount Pulaski	72	12	42.0	4.04	0.5	Colbert	84			0.13		Maple Valley				0.79	5.0
Mount Vernon	78	15	43.5	3.49		Fairland	80	23	49.6	3.37		Maquoketa	69	9	36.6	1.57	0.5
New Burnside	78	17	47.2	3.99		Fairborne	82	21	55.0	1.73		Marshalltown	72	4	34.2	1.26	4.0
Olney	78	16	45.3	2.54		Headton	82	19	53.7	0.62	T.	Monticello	66	5	33.4	1.30	3.0
Ottawa	68	18	39.9	3.16	1.0	Lehigh	82	22	54.7	0.84		Moar	74	13	36.6	1.22	
Palestine	79	16	42.9	4.06	T.	Marlow	80	25	52.4	1.07		Mountayr	69	6	36.6	1.38	
Pana	72	9	43.3	3.63	T.	Muscogee	81	23	52.4	2.14		Mount Pleasant	66	11	37.4	1.54	1.5
Paris	78	16	42.6	3.64		Pauls Valley	79	20	51.8	1.40		Mount Vernon	69	7	35.4	0.93	2.2
Peoria				2.27		Ryan	76	28	51.8	1.31		Murray				0.03	0.3
Peoria	69	17	40.8	1.87	0.5	South McAlester				1.92		New Hampton	66	— 5	30.0	1.50	7.5
Philo	73	15	41.2	3.36	T.	Tahlequah	76	22	52.0	3.30	T.	Newton	68	5	34.2	1.60	6.0
Plumhill	78	10	45.8	3.33		Tulsa				1.70		Northwood	66	— 2	29.6	1.14	5.5
Rantoul	72	15	41.5	2.82	1.0	Wagoner	80	22	51.6	2.63		Odebolt	65	5	33.3	0.64	4.5
Ram	73	20	47.9	6.52	T.	Webbers Falls	81	28	54.0	4.10		Ogden	69	2	32.6	0.66	6.0
Riley	68	8	35.0	2.00	2.9	Iowa.						Olin	65	8	34.0	1.13	1.5
Robinson	80	17	44.7	3.82		Afton	67	8	34.5	1.11	0.5	Onawa	74	7	34.6	0.29	
Round Grove	61	12	32.8	1.31	1.6	Albia	67	10	34.7	1.85	3.0	Osage	62	— 3	28.8	1.44	7.7
Rushville	70	16	40.2	1.48	0.7	Algona*	62	0	30.9	0.95	9.5	Oscola	70	10	35.5	1.28	4.0
St. Charles*	61	9	36.0	3.37	3.7	Alta	64	0	30.1	0.68	5.0	Oskaloosa	71	10	35.0	2.54	1.5
St. John	83	17	48.5	3.37		Amasa	66	9	35.0	1.02	1.7	Ottumwa	71	14	38.1	2.12	0.2
Scales Mound	63	2	32.2	1.34	3.0	Ames	72	5	33.3	0.51	4.0	Ovid	71	10	35.8	1.73	3.3
Shobonier	78	13	44.2	2.51	T.	Ames (near)				0.77	6.7	Pacific Junction	72	5	36.0	0.11	0.7
Strawn	71	12	40.4	4.32	3.0	Atlantic	71	5	34.4	0.30	3.0	Pella	72	8	34.2	0.73	2.5
Streator	77	13	40.4	2.57	T.	Audubon	71	8	33.1								

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Stations.	Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)			Precipitation.		Stations.	Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)			Precipitation.		Stations.	Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)			Precipitation.	
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rain and melted snow.	Total depth of snow.		Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rain and melted snow.	Total depth of snow.		Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rain and melted snow.	Total depth of snow.
Iowa—Cont'd.						Kentucky—Cont'd.						Maryland—Cont'd.					
Westbend*1	65	-1	28.8	0.70	7.0	Loretto	77	17	46.2	7.10	1.5	Ellicott City	76	24	47.8	1.08	T.
West Union	65	0	30.8	0.68	0.5	Maysville	75	15	44.8	9.34	1.1	Fallston	76	26	48.5	2.34	T.
Whitten	69	11	37.6	1.65	0.5	Middlesboro	76	23	49.8	10.76	0.2	Frederick	76	26	48.5	3.87	1.0
Wilton Junction	70	9	34.4	0.92	4.0	Mount Sterling	72	21	44.6	7.92	T.	Frostburg	71	18	43.5	5.34	1.0
Winterset	70	9	34.4	0.92	4.0	Owensboro	79	22	49.0	7.23	T.	Grantsville	71	11	40.9	5.89	7.5
Woodburn	70	9	34.4	0.97	4.2	Owenton	80	17	44.6	8.06	T.	Greatfalls	78	23	46.6	2.35	0.2
Kansas.						Paducah	80	25	50.4	6.22	0.7	Greenspring Furnace	76	18	45.7	3.52	T.
Abilene	71	9	40.8	0.44	1.0	Princeton	73	20	48.2	5.07	0.7	Hagerstown	76	21	47.8	3.46	0.2
Achilles	80	-2	38.4	0.37	0.2	St. John	76	17	46.4	8.81	0.7	Hancock	76	18	46.6	3.66	0.2
Altona	78	21	45.4	0.59	T.	Scott	72	18	44.4	4.90	3.5	Harney	77	28	52.0	1.94	T.
Anthony	72	21	39.8	0.78	1.5	Shelby City	75	16	46.0	8.73	2.0	Johns Hopkins Hospital	79	24	47.8	2.08	T.
Atchison	72	21	42.9	0.77	2.0	Shelbyville	72	19	45.0	10.36	4.0	Laurel	80	22	47.6	2.75	T.
Burlington	70	5	37.9	0.20	2.0	Vanceburg	75	18	44.1	8.00	T.	McDonogh	76	21	45.2	2.17	T.
Campbell	76	22	45.4	1.40	2.0	Warfield	83	19	46.6	6.41	T.	Mount St. Marys Coll.	68	25	47.5	3.50	T.
Chanute	80	9	39.0	0.23	2.0	Williamsburg	75	24	50.0	8.71	T.	Newmarket	77	23	47.2	3.06	T.
Colby	75	21	46.2	2.08	2.0	Louisiana.						Pocomoke	75	28	52.4	4.39	T.
Columbia	75	8	40.0	T.	1.0	Abbeville	88	38	63.0	1.05	T.	Princess Anne	75	23	50.2	4.10	T.
Coolidge	76	6	40.3	0.27	1.0	Alexandria	88	38	63.0	1.05	T.	Queenstown	74	27	49.6	1.91	T.
Delphos	89	5	41.2	T.	3.0	Amite	89	27	61.4	2.23	T.	Rockhall	73	24	49.4	2.01	T.
Dresden	74	15	40.6	0.65	3.0	Baton Rouge	88	31	61.1	1.14	T.	Sharpsburg	75	20	48.6	2.72	0.8
Ellinwood	71	23	43.6	0.60	2.0	Burnside	88	29	61.6	0.91	T.	Smithsburg a	74	17	47.2	2.55	1.0
Emporia	82	16	43.2	0.15	2.0	Calhoun	82	27	53.4	3.25	T.	Smithsburg b	73	18	46.9	3.30	3.0
Englewood	77	7	40.4	0.15	1.5	Cheneyville	86	28	58.9	8.11	T.	Solomons	76	29	52.8	2.48	T.
Eureka	81	21	45.0	0.89	1.5	Clinton	86	27	60.2	1.26	T.	Sudlersville	78	26	50.0	2.26	T.
Eureka Ranch	73	7	38.0	0.72	2.0	Como	88	24	56.7	3.76	T.	Sunnyside	75	5	40.4	6.52	7.8
Fallriver	74	4	39.2	0.50	2.0	Covington	86	29	59.7	1.20	T.	Takoma Park	77	25	47.6	3.23	0.8
Garden City	78	12	42.8	T.	2.0	Donaldsonville	92	33	63.0	0.85	T.	Taneytown	77	22	47.9	3.38	T.
Gove	69	8	38.0	0.16	1.5	Emile	84	32	61.1	0.80	T.	Van Bibber	75	26	46.6	2.12	T.
Gregory	74	20	44.8	0.65	1.5	Farmerville	83	29	56.2	3.37	T.	Westernport	70	16	42.2	4.81	1.5
Grenola	70	8	39.0	0.82	2.0	Franklin	82	33	61.0	0.72	T.	Westminster	74	20	47.1	3.00	T.
Horton	70	5	41.2	0.15	1.5	Grand Coteau	87	29	60.2	1.92	T.	Woodstock	78	25	48.2	1.49	T.
Hoxie	90	5	41.2	0.15	1.5	Hammond	89	28	61.6	0.63	T.	Massachusetts.					
Hutchinson	79	19	43.0	0.52	1.5	Houma	89	30	63.4	1.47	T.	Amherst	65	14	40.9	5.89	T.
Independence	75	26	46.6	1.37	1.5	Jeanerette	87	31	62.6	0.75	T.	Bedford	70	14	41.4	5.05	T.
Lakin	78	15	42.0	T.	1.5	Jennings	88	26	61.8	2.72	T.	Bluehill (summit)	72	18	42.2	5.44	0.8
Lawrence	69	19	41.1	1.38	1.5	Lafayette	98	27	61.0	1.49	T.	Cambridge	73	17	43.2	5.24	T.
Lebanon	75	2	37.4	0.30	3.0	Lake Charles	92	32	64.4	5.78	T.	Chestnut Hill	74	15	43.6	5.30	T.
Lebo	74	22	42.0	1.31	1.5	Lake Providence	88	29	58.4	2.62	T.	Cohasset	71	12	40.4	5.09	0.4
Little River	73	18	39.9	0.46	1.5	L'Arche	89	24	58.4	5.03	T.	Concord	71	12	40.4	5.09	0.4
Macksville	76	14	41.8	0.28	1.5	Lawrence	84	27	57.6	4.95	T.	East Templeton*1	62	16	38.0	5.52	7.5
McPherson	72	15	43.1	0.64	1.5	Libertyville	87	25	57.6	4.95	T.	Fallriver	72	10	47.0	4.26	T.
Madison	78	20	42.1	1.37	1.5	Mansfield	85	28	57.9	4.81	T.	Fitchburg a*1	65	16	39.7	6.35	1.0
Manhattan	74	5	41.0	1.01	1.5	Melville	87	27	60.4	5.70	T.	Fitchburg b	66	16	40.2	5.91	1.0
Manhattan	73	5	40.2	0.99	1.5	Minden	88	25	58.4	4.58	T.	Framingham	71	13	42.6	5.37	0.8
Marion	69	21	43.6	0.80	1.5	Monroe	87	30	58.6	4.42	T.	Groton	67	13	39.5	5.84	5.0
Medicine Lodge	82	19	44.1	0.13	2.0	Montgomery	81	30	56.4	4.05	T.	Hyannis*1	63	30	45.7	5.10	T.
Minneapolis	75	5	39.4	0.23	2.0	New Iberia	85	32	62.4	1.55	T.	Jefferson	70	14	41.6	6.79	2.2
Moran	74	24	43.1	1.47	1.5	Opeolous	86	27	61.0	2.87	T.	Lawrence	70	14	41.6	4.42	0.2
Mounthope*1	72	23	42.7	0.23	1.0	Oxford	84	22	56.2	3.49	T.	Leeds	66	11	40.4	5.01	T.
Ness City	75	16	44.2	0.23	1.0	Paincourtville	87	31	61.8	0.48	T.	Leominster	70	17	41.1	5.86	0.5
Newton	71	19	41.6	0.06	1.0	Plain Dealing	84	24	55.9	2.83	T.	Longplain	68	16	41.8	6.18	T.
Norwich	79	20	45.4	0.19	1.0	Prevost	80	27	61.4	1.75	T.	Lowell	70	15	41.4	6.18	T.
Oberlin	73	20	43.2	0.50	1.0	Rayne	80	27	61.4	1.75	T.	Middleboro	74	9	43.1	5.95	T.
Olathe	76	19	42.2	0.42	1.0	Robeline	88	22	56.0	5.70	T.	Monson	68	14	41.7	6.30	3.0
Osage City	78	23	47.6	1.45	1.0	Ruston	85	32	58.4	3.83	T.	New Bedford a	68	30	45.8	4.65	6.0
Oswego	74	20	41.5	1.20	1.0	Schriever	89	29	62.4	1.54	T.	Pittsfield	68	18	39.2	4.38	T.
Ottawa	74	10	33.2	0.70	7.0	Southern University	87	33	62.2	1.26	T.	Plymouth*1	72	19	44.6	6.28	T.
Phillipsburg	76	16	44.7	0.49	1.5	Sugar Ex. Station	84	36	61.4	1.66	T.	Princeton	70	28	46.2	3.87	T.
Pratt	86	22	45.4	0.11	2.0	Sugartown	84	34	59.8	7.54	T.	Provincetown	72	16	45.5	4.38	T.
Rome	78	11	40.6	0.41	2.0	Venice	87	43	66.8	4.50	T.	Somerset*1	70	17	41.1	5.86	0.5
Salina	79	9	39.7	0.00	2.0	Wallace	88	31	63.0	1.80	T.	South Clinton	70	17	41.1	5.86	0.5
Scott	76	22	45.1	0.75	2.5	White Sulphur Springs	85	32	62.4	1.55	T.	Sterling	72	9	42.8	4.91	T.
Sedan	73	5	38.8	0.33	2.5	Maine.						Taunton	70	10	43.4	6.41	0.5
Teneca	80	21	44.3	1.62	1.0	Bar Harbor	65	16	39.4	5.48	3.5	Westboro	69	13	42.0	4.66	0.2
Toronto	68	11	31.2	T.	Calais	68	9	35.6	5.61	11.0	Williamstown*1	64	11	39.8	5.59	6.2	
Tribune	75	10	41.5	T.	Carmel	72	4	36.2	4.36	7.0	Winchendon	69	13	39.8	5.59	6.2	
Ulysses	75	10	41.5	T.	Cornish*1	63	12	37.4	7.39	4.2	Michigan.						
Valley Falls	71	11	40.2	0.74	1.7	Fairfield	69	10	36.8	4.55	4.0	Adrian	63	12	38.2	8.90	2.2
Wakeeney (near)*1	78	19	39.8	0.07	0.5	Farmington	70	6	35.9	8.50	12.0	Agricultural College	64	10	35.3	5.10	11.5
Wallace	73	8	38.8	0.42	1.1	Flagstaff	64	3	31.8	5.66	20.5	Allegan	64	10	39.2	1.67	3.0
Wamego*1	74	24	45.8	0.07	1.0	Gardiner	69	12	38.0	5.28	4.0	Alma	67	12	35.5	4.28	9.0
Winfield	74	24	45.8	0.07	1.0	Lewiston	71	16	38.4	4.95	4.1						

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Stations.						Stations.						Stations.						Stations.											
Michigan—Cont'd.						Minnesota—Cont'd.						Missouri—Cont'd.						Montana.											
Detour	58	14	32.6	2.04	13.5	Detroit City	58	-14	21.0	0.39	3.5	Bethany	70	10	38.4	1.34	1.2	Augusta	67	-38	29.8	1.60	11.2						
Dundee	67	21	41.4	3.69	1.0	Faribault	63	5	27.9	0.28	4.3	Birchtree	79	30	47.2	5.07		Boulder	62	-22	26.5	0.10	1.5						
Eagle Harbor	63	12	32.2	2.13	12.5	Farmington	62	9	27.4	0.55	5.5	Boonville	70	19	39.8	1.41	T.	Butte	56	-10	33.7	0.30	2.0						
East Tawas	74	11	34.6			Fergus Falls	62	-9	23.0	0.70	6.4	Brunswick	70	19	39.8	1.41		Canyon Ferry	61	-28	29.0	0.17	4.0						
Elkton	67	14	39.0	3.54	8.7	Glencoe	64	-4	25.4	0.26	4.0	Carrollton	71	30	42.0	1.55	T.	Clemons	65	-28	29.0	0.75	7.5						
Fairview	62	14	35.4	4.21	10.5	Grand Meadow	62	-7	26.5	0.65	7.8	Conception	68	15	40.5	0.93	T.	Columbia Falls	47	-15	27.6	1.59	7.4						
Fitchburg	68	11	36.8	4.94	14.0	Hallbrook	52	-26	17.2	1.02	11.0	Cook Station	84	8	45.8	4.20	T.	Corvallis	60	-22	32.0	0.70	7.0						
Flint	66	9	37.0	4.40	13.0	Lake Jennie	69	-5	28.1	0.60		Cowgill	70	18	41.4	2.79		Crow Agency	72	-7	30.4	0.50	5.0						
Gaylord	63	10	30.0	4.83	14.0	Lakeside	65	-7	26.0	0.45	4.5	Darksville	69	17	39.3	1.25	0.5												
Gladwin	65	14	34.8	1.45	2.5	Lake Winnibigoshish	60	-12	22.6	0.61	7.8	Downing				1.71	T.												
Grand Rapids	70	14	37.8	4.91	8.0	Leech	52	-10	27.0	0.60	5.0	East Lynne		30	39.4	1.63													
Grape	66	13	39.2	3.53	2.3	Leroy		5		1.42		Edgehill	72	18	42.7	4.80													
Grayling	69	12	35.0	5.75	19.5	Long Prairie	68	-6	24.6	0.78	6.5	Edwards	78	19	47.0	2.41	T.												
Hanover	73	11	37.8	5.62	10.3	Luverne	64	3	28.6	0.51	6.0	Eldon	79	17	45.1	2.37	T.												
Harbor Beach	65	10	38.0	3.99	4.0	Mapleplain	63	-2	27.6	0.89	8.1	Elmira	71	16	40.2	1.15	T.												
Harrison	65	12	32.9	2.77	2.5	Milaca	66	-2	25.8	0.47	4.8	Fairport				1.42	1.0												
Harrisonville	62	10	35.8	3.01	3.7	Milan	72	-14	25.1	1.00	10.0	Fayette	73	17	42.0	1.79	0.5												
Hart	61	15	35.4	3.25	7.5	Minneapolis	61	7	27.4	0.66	5.8	Fulton	75	20	43.8	1.47	T.												
Hastings	65	2	36.4	5.32	18.3	Minneapolis ¹	61	6	27.6	0.69	5.8	Galea				4.35	T.												
Hayes	69	20	36.9	3.95	5.0	Minneapolis ²	66	-12	24.5	0.69	5.8	Gallatin	72	16	40.3	1.42	0.5												
Highland Station				4.21	10.2	Morris	66	-12	24.5	0.69	5.8	Gayoso	74	23	49.2	8.32	T.												
Hillsdale	67	13	37.6	4.80	7.5	Mount Iron	60	-8	20.8	0.40	4.0	Glasgow	70	18	41.4	1.45													
Humboldt	71	-8	19.4	0.20	1.0	Newfolden	58	-25	19.2	0.76	7.9	Gorin				2.23	1.5												
Iron River	57	-2	23.9	2.02	12.0	New London	70	-10	25.4	0.30	5.0	Halfway	78	19	47.9	2.77	T.												
Ishpeming	40	6	23.6	1.25	10.0	New Richmond	62	2	29.2			Harrisonville	73	16	41.4	1.64													
Ivan	60	10	31.6	2.44	11.5	New Ulm	70	4	28.0	0.43	4.5	Hazlehurst				1.46	0.5												
Jackson	68	17	38.6	3.09	5.1	Park Rapids	57	-12	22.0	0.73	7.2	Hermann				1.76	T.												
Jeddo	66	13	37.6	3.74	7.1	Pine River	58	-6	24.0	0.47	5.4	Houston	83	19	48.2	4.77	T.												
Kalamazoo	68	12	37.6	4.94	10.5	Pipestone	65	-2	26.0	0.21	2.4	Houstonia (near)				1.74	0.5												
Lake City	72	9	32.6	3.05	10.0	Pleasant Mounds	68	1	30.4	0.42	4.5	Irena				0.84	0.5												
Lansing	65	13	36.7	3.88	11.0	Pokegama Falls	61	-17	22.7	0.78	8.3	Ironton	81	13	45.6	5.21	T.												
Lapeer	67	11	36.8			Redwing				1.33	0.2	Jackson	76	21	44.0	1.14	0.7												
Lathrop	60	6	28.3	1.73	9.7	Reeds				1.19	4.0	Kidder	71	15	39.1	1.14													
Lincoln	64	12	34.2	1.85	1.5	Rolling Green	64	0	27.7	0.50	5.0	Koshkonong	80	23	50.0	5.05	T.												
Ludington	76	24	42.0	3.64	10.4	St. Charles	63	2	28.7	0.65	3.0	Lamar	78	22	47.4	2.50													
Mackinac Island	64	17	33.6	3.28	16.0	St. Cloud	60	0	28.2	0.58	4.0	Lamonte				1.32	T.												
Mackinaw	64	20	34.7	3.78	7.0	St. Peter	68	4	29.1	0.20	3.2	Lebanon	77	19	47.4	3.32													
Madison	66	14	39.9	4.32	4.4	Sandy Lake Dam	62	-7	23.6	0.48	5.8	Lexington	75	19	42.4	1.69													
Mancelona	65	12	32.6	5.36	20.5	Shakopee	63	-2	27.8	0.66	6.2	Liberty	71	16	40.0	1.96	T.												
Manistee	64	15	36.8	2.52	13.5	Tower	58	-13	23.0	0.70	7.0	Louisiana	78	16	43.0	1.47	0.5												
Manistiquie	68	10	31.2	1.60	8.7	Two Harbors	62	-7	24.6	0.41	2.0	McCune	73	16	40.8	1.24	1.0												
Menominee	65	7	32.8	1.51	4.0	Wabasha	63	9	29.6	0.78	6.0	Macon	72	15	46.6	5.83													
Middle Island	60	21	38.0			White Bear	60	9	38.4	0.78	7.8	Marblehill	78	15	46.6	1.30	T.												
Midland	71	10	37.6	1.31	2.8	Willmar	58	-10	25.2	0.81	8.5	Marshall	71	15	40.2	1.27	2.0												
Mottville	67	2	37.2	5.85	18.5	Willow River	65	-4	25.8	0.46	5.0	Maryville	74	19	44.1	1.34	T.												
Mount Clemens	74	18	42.1	2.44		Winnebago City	65	2	27.7	0.52	3.8	Mexico	74	20	41.0	1.54	T.												
Mount Pleasant	69	20	36.6			Worthington	62	0	28.6	0.71	6.8	Miami	68	20	50.0	4.30	T.												
Muskegon	70	16	38.7	4.61	8.0	Zumbrota	63	2	28.6			Mineralspring	73	23	46.2	1.79	T.												
Newberry	60	3	27.0	2.27	18.0	Mississippi						Montreal	72	22	48.8	4.68	T.												
Northport	64	19	36.6	3.05	21.0	Agricultural College	81	28	56.1	1.18		Mount Vernon	72	22	48.0	3.13	T.												
Old Mission	66	19	35.6	3.88	7.0	Austin	79	25	53.2	6.24		Neosho	78	16	45.8	1.36													
Olivet	68	14	37.2	3.25	11.9	Batesville	80	24	50.1	4.80		Nevada	80	20	45.6	2.28													
Omer	65	10	33.8	2.00	3.1	Bay St. Louis	79	33	60.4	0.71		New Haven	70	21	46.4	8.76	T.												
Ontonagon	55	5	26.8	2.50	16.0	Biloxi	85	35	55.4	1.92		New Madrid	73	19	44.2	1.49													
Ovid	71	9	36.8	4.57	11.0	Booneville	75	26	51.26																				

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Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)						Precipitation.		Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)						Precipitation.		Temperature. (Fahrenheit.)						Precipitation.	
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Montana—Cont'd.						Nebraska—Cont'd.						Nevada—Cont'd.											
Dell	60	-30	26.2	0.60	6.0	Laclede	76	6	35.0	0.15	1.0	Martins	68	-	-	-	1.43	-	-	-	-		
Dillon	61	-30	31.2	1.15	11.5	Lena	79	0	35.1	0.30	1.5	Mill City ^{*1}	66	28	41.2	1.05	3.5	-	-	-	-		
Ekalaka	63	-7	29.2	0.30	3.0	Lexington	79	0	35.1	0.30	2.0	Palisade ^{*1}	65	20	40.0	0.75	6.0	-	-	-	-		
Fort Logan	60	-30	27.8	0.36	.....	Lincoln ¹	74	10	37.6	0.11	0.2	Palmetto	72	13	41.6	1.15	4.0	-	-	-	-	
Glasgow	59	-25	17.6	0.78	.....	Lodgepole	76	4	35.4	0.10	1.0	Reno State University	69	24	43.6	1.48	2.5	-	-	-	-	
Glenview	60	-30	23.4	0.85	8.0	Loup	79	-	34.4	0.20	3.0	Silverpeak	69	12	43.5	0.08	T.	-	-	-	-		
Glenwood	61	-21	28.8	0.53	.....	Lynch	79	-5	34.4	0.10	1.0	Sodaville	65	17	40.2	0.18	.....	-	-	-	-	
Greatfalls	65	-19	31.6	1.44	14.4	Lyons	79	-	34.4	0.25	0.7	Tecoma	72	18	42.7	1.39	7.0	-	-	-	-		
Kipp	60	-21	25.1	1.25	12.5	McCook ^{*1}	70	16	37.4	T.	T.	Toano ^{*1}	72	18	42.7	1.39	7.0	-	-	-	-		
Lewistown	66	-25	29.8	0.32	3.0	Madison	72	4	34.4	0.25	2.2	Tybo	62	22	39.8	2.05	.....	-	-	-	-	
Livingston	64	-11	34.5	0.03	0.3	Madrid ^{*5}	60	10	33.4	0.00	.....	Verdi ^{*1}	74	20	45.2	2.75	21.0	-	-	-	-	
Manhattan	65	-17	28.4	0.10	1.0	Marquette	77	2	35.5	0.15	1.5	Wadsworth	62	20	39.2	0.50	3.5	-	-	-	-		
Martinsdale	62	-18	30.4	0.40	4.0	Mason City	77	2	35.5	0.20	2.0	Wells ^{*1}	62	20	39.2	1.50	4.0	-	-	-	-		
Marysville	57	-34	27.8	0.97	8.8	Merriman	77	2	35.5	T.	T.	New Hampshire.						-	-	-	-		
Missoula	59	-11	29.0	1.05	6.0	Minden ²	77	2	35.5	0.97	5.0	Alstead	68	-	-	7.29	7.8	-	-	-	-		
Ovando	59	-26	23.2	1.69	11.9	Monroe	77	2	35.5	0.11	0.8	Berlin Mills	68	-1	35.0	6.72	18.5	-	-	-	-		
Parrot	62	-12	32.0	0.16	1.5	Nebraska City ²	69	16	37.9	0.05	0.5	Bethlehem	65	5	35.4	5.77	18.0	-	-	-	-		
Plains	53	-13	31.0	1.28	6.0	Nebraska City ³	69	16	37.9	0.15	.....	Brookline ^{*1}	66	8	40.0	6.88	2.2	-	-	-	-	
Poplar	55	-24	21.0	0.90	9.0	Nesbit	73	0	34.8	0.05	1.0	Claremont	63	9	38.8	6.28	7.0	-	-	-	-		
Ridgeland	55	-25	30.6	0.65	4.5	Norfolk	72	1	32.6	0.17	2.2	Concord	67	8	39.2	5.92	5.6	-	-	-	-		
St. Paul	58	-20	29.7	0.45	3.5	North Loup	80	2	36.1	0.25	2.5	Durham	70	17	40.6	5.04	2.8	-	-	-	-		
Troy	54	-8	31.2	2.60	11.0	Oakdale	72	-4	32.4	0.20	1.9	Grafton	67	4	36.8	5.37	7.0	-	-	-	-		
Twin Bridges	62	-16	28.2	0.29	.....	Odell	64	6	36.6	0.20	1.5	Hanover	63	6	37.5	5.15	5.8	-	-	-	-	
Utica	67	-24	29.4	0.10	1.0	O'Neill	74	4	33.0	0.20	2.0	Keene	66	7	39.2	5.68	6.2	-	-	-	-		
Wibaux	52	-30	27.2	0.10	1.0	Ord	74	4	33.0	0.13	4.5	Littleton	65	3	34.6	.....	15.0	-	-	-	-	
Yale	67	-19	29.7	0.25	2.5	Osceola	72	8	37.8	0.10	1.0	Nashua	70	11	41.4	5.50	3.0	-	-	-	-		
Nebraska.						Ough	72	8	37.8	0.10	1.0	Newton	71	11	39.8	5.13	T.	-	-	-	-		
Agate	.....	.....	.....	0.11	1.5	Palmer ^{*5}	72	8	37.8	0.10	1.0	North Conway	72	7	36.8	7.70	4.0	-	-	-	-
Agee	.....	.....	.....	0.18	3.0	Palmyra ^{*1}	70	8	34.8	0.20	.....	Peterboro	66	8	37.8	7.12	7.4	-	-	-	-
Alliance	.....	.....	.....	T.	T.	Plattsburgh	78	1	36.0	0.51	.....	Plymouth	65	10	36.8	6.15	5.0	-	-	-	-
Alma	80	0	37.0	0.40	4.0	Pleasant Hill	78	1	36.0	0.35	T.	Sanborn	65	9	37.4	5.28	8.0	-	-	-	-		
Ansley	80	-9	34.4	0.30	2.0	Ravenna ²	78	1	36.0	0.30	3.0	Stratford	65	0	35.2	5.82	23.0	-	-	-	-		
Arapahoe ^{*1}	72	12	38.6	0.10	1.0	Redcloud ²	67	4	35.2	0.12	1.2	New Jersey.						-	-	-	-		
Arberville ^{*1}	70	8	34.0	0.05	0.5	Republican ^{*1}	74	0	33.8	0.30	3.0	Asbury Park	75	26	50.0	3.67	.....	-	-	-	-	
Arcadia	76	4	34.0	0.45	4.5	Rulo	74	0	33.8	0.25	.....	Bayonne	74	24	48.0	4.67	.....	-	-	-	-	
Arlington	.....	.....	.....	0.30	0.5	St. Libory	74	0	33.8	0.42	1.0	Belvidere	72	30	44.4	2.37	T.	-	-	-	-
Ashland ²	73	8	36.8	T.	T.	St. Paul	80	-2	34.5	0.16	1.5	Bergen Point	73	27	48.0	5.04	.....	-	-	-	-	
Ashland ³	.....	.....	.....	T.	T.	Salem ^{*1}	72	8	37.9	0.36	2.5	Beverly	76	21	48.0	3.08	.....	-	-	-	-	
Ashton	72	4	39.2	0.25	1.5	Santee	74	1	34.4	0.24	2.7	Billingsport ^{*1}	75	28	48.3	3.13	.....	-	-	-	-	
Auburn	77	11	35.3	0.13	1.0	Sargent	74	1	34.4	0.41	4.0	Bridgeton	76	23	50.2	2.85	.....	-	-	-	-	
Bartley	.....	.....	.....	T.	T.	Schuyler	74	1	34.4	0.10	.....	Camden	74	26	48.0	3.10	.....	-	-	-	-	
Beatrice	73	4	37.2	0.12	0.5	Seneca ^{*1}	56	8	31.8	T.	.....	Cape May C. H.	76	23	50.7	1.82	.....	-	-	-	-	
Beaver	82	6	39.8	0.30	2.0	Seward	72	4	40.8	0.02	0.1	Charlotteburg	71	16	44.0	3.85	T.	-	-	-	-		
Bellevue	.....	.....	.....	0.14	1.1	Smithfield	72	4	40.8	0.00	.....	Chester	69	30	43.0	2.84	T.	-	-	-	-
Benedict	.....	.....	.....	T.	T.	Spragg	75	-5	34.3	0.30	2.0	Clayton	76	30	48.1	2.83	.....	-	-	-	-	
Benklemann	.....	.....	.....	0.15	1.5	Springview	75	-5	34.3	T.	T.	College Farm	74	23	47.4	4.27	.....	-	-	-	-	
Blair	70	8	34.7	0.23	1.4	Stanton ^{*1}	78	1	32.8	0.07	0.	Deckertown	71	19	48.8	3.18	T.	-	-	-	-		
Bluehill	.....	.....	.....	0.08	0.5	State Farm	75	9	37.8	0.07	.....	Dover	69	22	43.8	3.02	.....	-	-	-	-	
Bradshaw	.....	.....	.....	0.05	0.5	Strang	75	9	37.8	0.10	1.0	Egg Harbor City	74	19	48.2	3.52	.....	-	-	-	-	
Brokenbow ^{*1}	68	4	32.6	0.32	0.8	Stratton	72	8	42.1	0.30	1.0	Elizabeth	74	34	48.9	5.33	.....	-	-	-	-	
Burchard	.....	.....	.....	0.02	0.2	Syracuse	72	8	42.1	0.30	2.0	Flemington	79	21	46.6	2.75	.....	-	-	-	-	
Burwell	.....	.....	.....	0.25	2.5	Tablerock	72	8	42.1	0.30	2.0	Freehold	73	23	46.8	3.78	T.	-	-	-	-
Callaway	71	8	40.0	0.50	4.0	Tecumseh ²	72	4	40.8	0.38	3.0	Friesburg	76	25	49.4	2.96	T.	-	-	-	-		
Camp Clarke	.....	.....	.....	0.08	0.8	Tecumseh ³	72	4	40.8	0.45	.....	Hammon	74	36	47.8	4.25	.....	-	-	-	-	
Central City	.....	.....	.....	T.	T.	Tekamah	75	7	36.6	0.16	1.5	Hightstown	74	36	47.8	4.25	.....	-	-	-	-	
Chester	.....	.....	.....	0.13	1.0	Turlington	75	7	36.6	0.23	2.0	Imlaytown	76	34	49.6	4.05	T.	-	-	-	-
Cody	72	8	35.4	0.03	0.3	Wakarusa	73	6	36.5	0.08	0.5	Lambertville	72	22	47.0	2.60	T.	-	-	-	-		
Columbus	72	8	35.4	0.03	0.3	Wakefield	73	0	34.1	0.29	2.2	Layton	72	15	42.3	2.41	T.	-	-	-	-		
Crete	65	8	36.6	0.01	T.	Wallace	73	0	34.1	0.10	1.0	Moorestown	75	28	48.8	3.30	T.	-	-	-	-		
Cuibertson	.....	.....	.....	0.15	0.5	Wauwata	71	3	32.3	0.10	1.0	Mount Pleasant	73	25	46.1	4.68	T.	-	-	-	-
Curtis ²	80	12	43.6	0.30	2.0	Weeping Water ^{*1}	71	3	32.3	0.12	1.0	Newark	73	25	46.1	4.68	T.	-	-	-			

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New Mexico—Cont'd.						New York—Cont'd.						North Dakota—Cont'd.					
Fort Wingate.....	80	18	44.6	0.89	5.5	Palermo.....	65	13	38.4	6.40	18.7	Berlin.....	61	-16	21.0	0.28	2.3
Gage.....	75	19	42.4	0.63	1.0	Penn Yan.....	68	22	41.4	6.04	5.3	Churchs Ferry.....	55	-22	17.0	0.40	4.0
Galisteo.....	70	24	45.3	0.52		Perry City.....	65	18	39.3	6.58	8.0	Coal Harbor.....	52	-18	19.9	0.33	3.2
Galinas Spring.....	70	18	43.2	1.02	T.	Phoenix.....				7.30		Devils Lake.....	53	-21	17.7	0.56	5.6
Las Vegas Hot Springs.....				0.45		Plattsburg Barracks.....	61	10	36.7	8.82	29.3	Dickinson.....	53	-14	22.7	0.55	5.5
Lordsburg.....	72	17	41.6	0.35		Port Byron.....	65	18	39.6	7.34	8.0	Donnybrook.....				0.72	5.0
Los Lunas.....	74	10	50.0	T.		Port Jervis.....	70	19	42.2	3.67	T.	Ellendale.....	63	-17	26.0	0.30	2.0
Lower Penasco.....	79	23	49.8	1.40		Primrose.....	71	19	44.9	5.75	T.	Falconer.....	56	-21	22.9	0.48	4.5
Lyons Ranch.....	80	20	49.7	0.23		Red Hook.....				4.33	T.	Fargo.....	59	-15	30.0	0.30	2.0
Mesilla Park.....	74	15	43.6	0.00		Richmondville.....				3.74	7.5	Forman.....	59	-10	23.0	0.20	2.0
Raton.....	79	20	49.9	0.17		Ridgeway.....	68	22	39.4	5.03	15.9	Fort Berthold.....	59	-21	23.6	0.55	5.5
Roswell.....	71	18	45.8	0.13		Rome.....	60	10	37.8	8.39		Fort Yates.....	64	-11	24.2	1.02	10.2
San Marcial.....				0.26		Romulus.....	68	22	41.4	7.23	5.0	Fullerton.....	63	-10	22.5	0.41	4.0
Socorro.....	71	6	42.6	0.13	T.	Rose.....				6.22	8.6	Gallatin.....	55	-17	18.6	0.79	7.9
Springer.....	70	6	43.6	T.		St Johnsville.....	71	12	39.4	4.98	7.5	Glenullin.....	57	-12	21.7	1.05	11.5
Strauss.....				0.18		Sallsbury Mills.....				3.14		Grafton.....	56	-14	19.1	0.57	5.7
Whiteoaks.....	70	23	45.6	0.30	0.5	Saranac Lake.....	65	1	35.0	4.98	33.0	Hamilton.....	53	-6	18.1	0.67	6.7
Winsors Ranch.....	67	10	33.9	0.50	7.0	Saratoga Springs.....	67	13	39.6	5.16	8.5	Hannaford.....	56	-20	18.6	0.39	3.9
Woodbury.....	68	21	43.4	0.63	T.	Schenectady.....	68	15	39.4	4.38	3.0	Jamestown.....	63	-14	21.2	0.60	5.5
New York.						Setauket.....	69	25	47.6	4.88		McKinney.....	53	-29	17.6	0.46	4.6
Adams.....	69	19	42.0	6.00	4.0	Shortsville.....	68	22	40.5	4.38	5.7	Mayville.....	56	-11	22.6	0.70	7.0
Addison.....	68	22	41.4	8.42	22.0	Skaneateles.....				7.14		Medora.....	56	-15	24.4	0.30	3.0
Akron.....	64	11	38.8	5.40	6.0	South Berlin.....	69	12	41.5	2.30	9.0	Melville.....	54	-22	20.6	0.35	3.5
Alden.....	69	24	40.5	4.93	3.7	South Canisteo.....	66	15	38.8	6.03	5.8	Milton.....	56	-18	16.2		
Alfred.....	68	13	38.5	5.89	7.5	South Kortright.....	68	20	47.5	3.90	T.	Minnewaukon.....	54	-21	17.4	0.27	3.3
Angelica.....	64	11	38.8	5.40	6.0	Southeast Reservoir.....				5.98		Minto.....	54	-16	16.8	0.47	
Appleton.....	69	24	40.5	4.93	3.7	Straits Corners.....	67	8	38.5	2.37		Napoleon.....	54	-16	20.7	0.95	10.0
Atlanta.....	68	13	38.5	5.89	7.5	Ticonderoga.....	67	14	39.2	5.84	4.9	New England.....	56	-15	22.3		
Auburn.....	68	17	41.0	7.52	11.0	Volusia.....	65	13	40.0	6.17	13.0	Oakdale.....	55	-11	24.6	0.77	7.5
Avon.....	66	19	41.0	3.92	8.0	Watson.....	65	20	38.6	7.02	21.0	Pembina.....	55	-17	16.9	1.02	10.2
Axon.....	63	3	32.2	7.35	41.2	Wappingers Falls.....	72	20	43.6	4.81	1.0	Portal.....	51	-23	17.8		
Baldwinsville.....	68	17	40.4	6.59	5.0	Watkins.....				3.34		Power.....	64	-11	22.7	0.46	4.6
Bedford a.....				5.16	1.0	Watertown.....	67	-2	37.2	8.70	67.0	Steele.....	58	-16	18.4	0.17	1.7
Blaby Lodge.....				8.55	24.0	Waverly.....	68	16	41.0	5.30	4.4	Townsend.....	57	-24	16.2	0.80	8.0
Bollivar.....	64	13	38.0	6.29	6.0	Wedgewood.....	65	18	38.4	6.79	7.0	University.....	55	-12	22.1	0.90	9.0
Bouckville.....	65	10	36.8	6.08	12.0	Wells.....	60	5	36.4	7.54	15.7	Wahpeton.....	63	-11	22.6	0.30	3.0
Boyd's Corners.....				4.91		West Berne.....	70	12	37.4	3.75	16.0	Willow City.....	56	-25	18.6		
Brookport.....	65	21	39.2	5.84	18.0	West Chazy.....	63	7	34.9			Woodbridge.....	51	-22	15.4	0.75	7.5
Caldwell.....	68	13	39.3	5.16	12.6	Westfield a.....	68	24	43.0			Ohio.					
Canaan Four Corners.....	63	11	39.0	3.73	10.2	Westfield b.....	66	22	41.0	6.22		Akron.....	66	12	40.2	3.86	11.0
Canajoharie.....	72	14	38.4	4.23	6.5	Westfield c.....	68	24	44.9	6.53	11.0	Annapolis.....	73	12	42.4	3.72	
Canton.....	67	-2	35.0	5.47	15.0	Windham.....	69	10	39.2	4.11	8.5	Ashland.....	69	9	40.2	3.23	9.3
Carmel.....	69	20	37.2	5.26	0.8	North Carolina.						Ashabula.....	66	22	42.4	5.50	9.0
Carvers Falls.....	69	10	38.2	4.41	6.0	Abshers.....	83	24	50.0	5.15	T.	Atwater.....				4.13	6.5
Catskill.....	70	22	42.1	3.08	0.5	Asheville.....				4.62	T.	Bangorville.....	77	9	39.7	3.43	6.0
Cedarhill.....	72	18	41.8	3.41	1.3	Biltmore.....	80	22	47.5	3.34	T.	Bellefontaine.....	67	15	39.2	2.75	3.0
Charlotte*10.....	61	17	37.0			Bryson City.....	82	29	51.8	5.00		Benton Ridge.....	68	9	40.9	3.66	6.5
Chenango Forks.....				4.80	3.0	Chapel Hill.....	79	25	51.7	4.04		Bethany.....	70	14	43.0	4.47	2.0
Cooperstown.....	66	12	37.7	4.62	8.0	Cherryville.....	82	29	51.8	5.00		Big Prairie.....	67	8	41.7	2.49	2.5
Cortland.....	65	17	40.2	7.17		Currituck.....	79	32	55.0	4.45		Binola.....				4.19	6.0
Cuthogue.....	69	23	46.6	5.64	T.	Edenton.....	79	32	55.0	4.45		Bladensburg.....	70	1	40.1	3.29	2.2
Dekalb Junction.....				7.33	25.0	Fayetteville.....	85	28	54.6	3.82		Bloomington.....	73	15	42.4	4.13	4.0
Easton.....				3.86	6.0	Flatrock.....	72	20	47.8	8.87	T.	Bowling Green.....	68	8	40.4	3.82	6.5
Elba.....	73	17	39.8	3.99	12.5	Goldsboro.....	79	30	54.4	5.76		Bucyrus.....	80	4	40.0	1.03	T.
Elmira.....	66	25	42.6	5.09		Greensboro.....	79	29	51.0	2.72		Cambridge.....				4.03	T.
Fleming.....	65	22	40.9	3.99	12.5	Henderson.....	80	27	53.9	5.30	T.	Camp Dennison.....	75	14	44.5	5.39	5.0
Franklinville.....	65	17	38.4	5.60	9.0	Hendersonville.....	79	18	50.0	3.47	T.	Canal Dover.....	68	7	40.8	3.82	2.0
Fulton.....				4.68	15.6	Henrietta.....	82	26	52.4	5.27		Canton.....	68	11	41.6	4.10	6.0
Gabriels.....	62	3	31.8	8.84	56.5	Highlands.....	69	13	45.3	5.08	T.	Cardington.....	68	5	40.0	3.79	2.6
Glens Falls.....	67	14	38.9	5.37	2.8	Horse Cove.....	72	18	49.6	5.94	T.	Cedarville.....				4.93	6.5
Gloversville.....	68	7	35.7	5.26	9.5	Kinston.....	81	26	55.3	5.57		Celina.....	70	-10	41.6	2.43	T.
Greenwich.....	67	14	39.3	4.56	6.0	Lenoir.....	83	22	48.8	4.48	T.	Circleville.....	71	13	41.6	5.64	4.0
Griffin Corners.....				3.52	8.1	Linville.....	66	15	43.6	4.47	2.0	Clarksburg.....	75	12	43.2	5.37	9.3
Haskinsville.....				5.31	4.0	Littleton.....	82	23	51.6	4.52		Cleveland a.....	65	20	42.6	4.18	11.9
Hemlock.....	64	23	41.0	3.34	14.0	Louisburg.....	80	25	51.5	4.02		Cleveland b.....	67	18	41.2	2.87	6.0
Honeybrook Brook.....	68	17	40.8	4.12	5.3	Lumberton.....	78	28	54.2	4.17		Coalton.....	75	9	44.6	6.36	3.0
Honnedaga Lake.....				7.21	16.4	Marion.....	80	24	51.2	4.04		Colebrook.....	70	-12	41.8	3.81	8.0
Humphrey.....	69	18	37.2	6.58	19.2	Mocksville.....	80	24	51.2	3.31		Dayton a.....				3.13	T.
Indian Lake.....	59	0	35.4	7.16	27.4	Moncure.....	80	27	53.0	3.35		Dayton b.....	74	12	43.0	3.60	2.5
Ithaca.....	68	18	40.6	5.71	3.5	Monroe.....	80	22	52.0	5.76		Defiance.....	78	6	40.7	3.76	5.6
Jamestown.....	62	22	40.4	7.37													

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Medina	70	9	40.8	4.00	9.0	Burns	65	1	36.2	0.47	4.5	Lebanon	74	20	45.3	2.85	0.5	Leroy	65	17	39.4	4.71	4.6	Lewisburg	71	21	44.1	4.24	0.0	Lockhaven a	71	27	46.8	4.94	1.0	Lockhaven b	71	27	46.8	4.94	1.0	Lock No. 4	71	27	46.8	4.94	1.0	Lycippus	70	14	43.0	5.01	0.3	Mifflin	70	14	43.0	5.01	0.3	Oil City	70	14	43.0	5.01	0.3	Parker	70	14	43.0	5.01	0.3	Philadelphia	74	29	49.8	3.80	T.	Quakertown	74	29	49.8	3.80	T.	Reading	74	29	49.8	3.80	T.	Renovo a	68	19	42.8	5.73	1.0	Renovo b	68	19	42.8	5.73	1.0	Saegertown	69	13	39.8	5.95	5.0	St. Marys	65	12	38.7	3.44	T.	Selinsgrove	72	21	44.7	3.89	T.	Shawmont	72	21	44.7	3.89	T.	Sinmahoning	72	21	44.7	3.89	T.	Smethport	64	12	38.8	4.65		Somers	70	8	40.9	6.46	14.5	South Easton	70	21	43.3	3.21	T.	State College	67	17	41.8	4.10	0.9	Swarthmore	73	27	46.6	2.20		Towanda	68	30	42.0	3.53	2.0	Troun	69	19	44.8	6.92	6.5	Uniontown	69	19	44.8	6.92	6.5	Warren	67	17	39.4	5.85	6.2	Wellsboro	64	30	40.2	6.11	2.5	Westchester	74	25	47.0	2.00		West Newton	76	21	46.6	4.91	3.0	Westtown	72	20	43.6	0.95	T.	Wilkesbarre	72	20	43.6	0.95	T.	Williamsport	79	21	44.8	3.26	T.	York	74	23	46.0	2.81																																																	
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Bristol	65	22	45.9	3.42	T.	Kingston	70	14	43.2	5.02	1.0	Pawtucket	74	22	45.0	4.40	T.	Providence a	72	21	45.2	4.54	T.	Providence c	72	19	43.8	4.88	T.	Batesburg	79	28	55.1	3.90		Beaufort	85	33	61.8	3.48		Blackville	84	29	57.8	2.28		Calhoun Falls	84	25	55.8	2.93		Camden	84	25	55.8	2.93		Cheraw a	84	25	55.8	2.93		Cheraw b	84	25	55.8	2.93		Clemson College	77	24	53.2	2.33		Conway	77	24	53.2	2.33		Darlington	83	31	58.0	2.47		Effingham	83	31	58.0	2.47		Gaffney	86	32	55.8	4.59		Georgetown	86	32	55.8	4.59		Gillisonville	87	25	58.2	1.83		Greenville	77	26	51.2	4.41	T.	Greenwood	79	27	53.8	3.49		Holland	74	22	50.0	4.38		Kingstree a	81	27	55.7	2.18		Kingstree b	81	27	55.7	2.18		Liberty	76	23	52.2	3.18		Little Mountain	80	28	55.4	4.58		Longshore	80	27	54.6	3.79		Pinopolis *1	77	33	56.8	2.83		St. George	81	30	56.8	3.32		St. Matthews	83	31	58.0	2.47		St. Stephens	80	34	54.2	4.04		Santuck	82	22	54.0	4.50		Shaws Fork	82	22	54.0	4.50		Smiths Mills	79	29	54.7	3.09		Societyhill	77	25	51.8	5.45		Spartanburg	84	31	57.9	2.51		Statesburg	81	30	57.2	1.99		Summerville	86	27	57.6	3.14		Temperance	77	31	57.9	8.55		Trenton	77	31	57.9	8.55		Trial	92	25	56.4	1.76		Walhalla	78	25	51.6	3.46		Winnsboro	77	30	53.8	5.35		Winthrop College	79	28	53.8	4.63		Yemassee	82	29	57.8	2.31		Yorkville	83	30	55.6	3.53	
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Albany a *1	65	26	47.4	3.29	Herr Island Dam	69	9	40.8	4.92	8.3	Academy	72	3	31.8	0.16	1.3	Alexandria	66	4	29.4	T.	Armour	72	4	31.7	0.15	1.5	Ashcroft	65	11	30.4	0.30	3.0	Bowdler	64	8	28.2	0.25	2.5	Brookings	69	9	35.8	0.45	4.5	Centerville	70	4	28.8	0.08	0.8	Chamberlain	68	3	26.8	0.14	1.4	Clark	66	2	26.4	0.80	8.0	Desmet	66	2	26.4	0.80	8.0																																																																																																																																																																																																													

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South Dakota—Cont'd.						Tennessee—Cont'd.						Utah—Cont'd.											
Doland	63	-4	26.6	0.29	2.9	Waynesboro	75	22	49.0	4.45		Grover	76	15	41.3	0.30							
Elkpoint	73	2	32.2	0.23	2.5	Wildersville	74	25	50.0	7.48		Heber	65	15	37.8	4.42							
Farmingdale	67	-5	26.2	0.06	1.5	Yukon	74	24	51.2	3.63	T.	Henefer	61	5	32.2	3.13							
Faulkton	69	-7	26.2	0.30	2.7	Texas.						Hite	70	29	47.8								
Flandreau	69	-5	26.6	0.06	7.2	Alvin				1.65		Holyoke	71	20	44.5	1.01							
Forestburg	72	-4	29.0	0.20	2.0	Anna	85	20	54.6	0.99		Huntsville				5.07							
Fort Meade	74	-11	32.2	0.50	5.0	Anson				0.40		Kelton		22	37.2	0.30							
Fort Randall				T.	T.	Austin	83	25	58.6	1.70		Levan	64	18	40.4	1.45							
Gannaway	56	-5	27.4	0.20	2.0	Austin	80	27	59.6			Loa	62	1	29.7	0.50							
Gary	71	-10	25.0	0.28	5.0	Balling	79	29	54.0	0.93		Logan	64	15	39.6	2.69							
Grand River School		-10	25.0	0.25	6.5	Beaville	90	30	61.0	1.95		Manti	73	18	42.1	0.80							
Greenwood	72	2	34.6	0.19	1.9	Big Spring				1.18		Millville		18			2.75						
Hartman	71	-4	28.5	0.55	6.8	Bianco	84	24	55.6	1.96		Minersville		18			1.33						
Hotch City	75	-12	30.1	0.05	1.0	Boerne	81	28	57.6	1.35		Moab	69	18	44.2	0.53							
Hot Springs	70	-7	34.8	0.20	2.0	Booth				3.28		Mount Pleasant	67	19	40.9	1.56							
Howard		-6		0.18	1.8	Bowie	84	26	55.3	0.10		Ogden	62	26	42.0	3.87							
Ipswich	66	-10	25.5	0.10	2.5	Brazoria	84	33	64.8	1.04		Park City	57	13	36.6	3.50							
Kimball	70	-4	30.4	0.05	0.5	Brenham	85	30	62.9	6.71		Parowan	67	14	40.5	0.34							
Leola	67	-8	25.0	0.20	2.0	Brighton	90	35	67.3	0.83		Pinto	68	14	38.2	3.16							
Leslie	75	-11	29.6	0.10	1.0	Brownwood	82	27	57.0	1.10		Promontory				0.50							
Mellette	72	-4	28.3	T.	T.	Burnet	78	29	58.0	2.06		Provo	74	14	42.4	3.50							
Menno	70	-7	30.2	0.38	3.1	Coleman	84	35	57.4	0.78		Richfield				0.30							
Millbank	70	-1	29.6	0.42	4.0	Colorado	87	29	55.9			St. George	80	19	47.4	0.89							
Mitchell	74	-2	31.8	0.07	0.6	Columbia	85	30	62.3	2.94		Scipio	69	8	39.6	1.17							
Mound City	65	-10	23.2	0.42	4.2	Corsicana	80	29	56.2	0.30		Snowville	63	12	37.6	0.71							
Oelrichs	74	0	32.8	0.40	4.0	Cuero	86	30	63.3	3.15		Thistle	72	17	41.4	1.80							
Parker	70	-2	30.6	0.19	2.0	Dallas	83	25	56.5	0.61		Tooele	62	20	41.8	1.87							
Plankinton	70	-2	28.6	T.	T.	Danewang	85	29	63.2	1.91		Tropic	64	10	35.9	0.98							
Redfield	70	-5	28.2	0.22	2.1	Duval	82	29	59.6	1.41		Vernal	65	17	39.0	1.21							
Rochford	68	-4	31.3	0.50	5.0	Estelle	83	25	57.6	1.70		Woodruff	57	3	32.5								
Rosebud	76	-10	31.1	0.60	6.0	Fort Brown	91	37	70.0	0.40		Vermont.											
St. Lawrence	73	-8	28.9	0.15	1.5	Fort McIntosh	96	32	67.8			Bennington	69	14	41.0	3.46							
Silver City				0.50	5.0	Fort Ringgold	93	36	68.5	0.03		Burlington	65	15	39.5	5.74							
Sioux Falls	58	-6	24.5	0.41	4.1	Fredericksburg	81	28	55.6	5.31		Chelsea	62	6	34.6	5.44							
Slasaton Agency	64	-4	25.8	0.17	2.0	Gainesville	83	25	56.2	0.60		Cornwall	67	10	38.1	4.10							
Spaulding	71	-10	33.0	0.58	7.0	Grapevine	88	36	57.4	1.18		Derby	62	1	38.9	5.01							
Tyndall	65	-5	33.4	0.29	3.0	Hale Center	82	27	53.0	1.16		Enosburg Falls	67	0	35.0	7.54							
Vermillion	77	0	34.2	0.20	2.0	Hallettsville	83	31	62.2	3.03		Hartland	65	1	37.2	5.45							
Watertown	65	-8	26.2	0.12	1.2	Haskell	82	29	55.4	0.99		Jacksonville	67	10	34.2	3.79							
Waubay	63	-8	24.0	0.22	2.2	Henrietta	81	27	54.2	0.97		Manchester	65	9	37.8	3.53							
Wentworth	71	-5	27.2	0.37	3.7	Hewitt				0.58		Norwich	64	3	36.4	4.98							
Westington Springs	56	-9	24.9	0.20	2.0	Hondo				1.42		St. Johnsbury	63	1	34.6	6.15							
Wolsey				0.24	2.5	Houston	82	32	66.8	4.96		Vernon	64	13	38.4	10.12							
Tennessee.						Hulen	89	29	64.5	1.32		Wells	66	12	36.2	5.34							
Andersonville	73	21	49.1	6.05	T.	Huntsville	83	29	60.2	8.45		Woodstock	64	2	35.8	5.35							
Ashwood	73	23	50.6	3.18	1.0	Ira	80	29	59.8	0.72		Virginia.											
Benton	77	23	50.8	5.89		Jacksonville	82	25	57.4	3.36		Alexandria	77	26	49.7	1.91							
Bluff City				3.88	T.	Jaeger	87	31	61.1	3.10		Ashland	82	23	51.2	2.43							
Bolivar	75	25	49.2	7.41	T.	Kaufman	82	27	59.0			Barboursville	82	24	51.0	2.48							
Bristol	76	22	47.3	3.56	T.	Kent				0.19		Bedford	80	25	49.8	1.87							
Byrdstown	76	19	48.6	10.37	3.0	Kerrville	82	23	56.4	6.01		Bigstone Gap	74	21	47.1	7.03							
Carthage	78	25	52.5	6.70		Kopperi				0.00		Birdsnest	69	32	51.4	2.70							
Charleston				6.08		Lampasas	84	22	59.4	0.86		Blacksburg	76	19	45.2	4.55							
Clarksville	78	26	49.6	10.15	T.	Laureles Ranch				0.52		Bon Air	79	25	50.8	2.99							
Clinton				6.01		Llano	81	31	58.8	0.60		Burkes Garden	68	16	42.2	4.64							
Decatur	75	24	50.2	4.88		Longview	82	28	57.6	1.48		Callville	76	23	50.3	4.77							
Dickson	76	22	48.4	4.44	0.4	Luling	85	28	61.0	5.94		Christiansburg				3.10							
Dover	78	21	49.8	9.83	T.	Mann	81	23	55.0	0.62		Clifton Forge	77	24	48.6	4.11							
Elizabethton	79	20	46.8	3.81	T.	Menardville	89	29	55.2	2.04		Columbia				1.12							
Elk Valley				5.65	T.	Neacogoches	85	26	58.2	6.54		Dale Enterprise	77	15	45.9	3.11							
Erasmus	73	17	46.9	6.10	2.3	New Braunfels	82	31	58.2	1.48		Farmville	80	17	51.0	1.82							
Florence	76	25	48.7	5.95	T.	Panther				0.34		Fontella	81	24	52.0	2.26							
Franklin	76	24	49.2	8.32	3.0	Paris	82	25	57.2	1.89		Fredericksburg	77	24	49.8	2.09							
Grace	78	30	51.8	5.10	1.0	Point Isabel	84	24	70.6	0.40		Grahams Forge	76	19	46.0	3.02							
Greenville	77	19	48.0	4.10	1.5	Rhineland	81	28	53.6	0.78		Hampton	78	32	56.6	4.93							
Harriman	74	23	48.8	4.91	T.	Rock Island	86	29	62.8	3.78		Lexington	81	22	48.9	2.73							
Hohenwald	75	17	47.2	8.08	3.0	Rockport	83	45	69.3			Lincoln	76	24	48.0								
Iron City	76	22	50.6	3.61		Runge	98	29	64.0	1.72		Manassas	78	24	49.6	2.48							

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Washington—Cont'd.						Wisconsin—Cont'd.						Cuba—Cont'd.					
Colville.....	55	-11	31.0	2.30	10.3	Butternut.....	58	0	24.2	1.77	12.0	Magdalena.....	94	64	78.3	0.62	0.62
Conconully.....	50	-5	30.6	1.57	6.8	Casco.....	60	12	31.2	0.21	2.0	Manzanillo.....	94	64	78.3	3.44	3.44
Coupeville.....	58	19	43.0	1.21	1.5	Chilton.....	69	10	30.8	.....	.....	Matanzas.....	89	54	72.7	1.88	1.88
Crescent.....	53	-8	32.0	2.06	7.0	Delavan.....	64	7	34.2	0.73	1.0	Moron Trocha.....	92	59	76.4	4.93	4.93
Dayton.....	63	4	38.8	1.50	3.8	Dodgeville.....	65	-1	30.9	2.01	3.0	Nuevitas.....	90	67	77.8	8.47	8.47
Ellensburg.....	54	-16	32.9	1.27	.....	Easton.....	67	1	30.6	1.55	.....	Numero.....	85	62	72.8	2.37	2.37
Ellensburg (near).....	52	-16	33.6	1.50	7.0	Eau Claire.....	62	4	28.6	1.32	10.0	Pinar del Rio.....	90	53	73.6	1.06	1.06
Grandmound.....	61	6	42.0	5.26	5.5	Florence.....	61	6	27.2	3.78	12.0	Sagua la Grande.....	90	63	75.0	2.64	2.64
Granite Falls.....	.....	.....	.....	4.34	4.5	Fond du Lac.....	62	5	31.4	0.94	5.1	San Cayetano.....	90	58	74.4	0.90	0.90
Hooper.....	60	-10	37.6	1.75	6.0	Grand River Locks.....	.....	.....	.....	1.82	7.0	Santa Clara.....	98	52	74.8	2.87	2.87
Issaquah.....	.....	.....	.....	4.75	6.5	Grantsburg.....	62	-3	27.0	1.05	10.5	Soledad.....	89	59	74.0	0.18	0.18
Lacater.....	62	23	43.6	4.87	1.8	Hartford.....	66	3	32.8	2.02	4.8	Union de Reyes.....	87	62	75.4	0.00	0.00
Lakeside.....	58	5	34.1	1.20	0.6	Hartland.....	68	7	33.8	3.30	.....	Yaguajay.....	91	58	75.6	2.74	2.74
Lind.....	55	-11	34.8	1.47	6.5	Harvey.....	59	7	32.2	3.32	7.0	Porto Rico.					
Mayfield.....	49	20	38.8	5.09	4.0	Hayward.....	62	-1	26.6	0.71	7.2	Adjuntas.....	89	68	80.1	2.82	2.82
Mottling Ranch.....	59	1	39.5	0.64	0.5	Headford.....	58	0	25.7	1.35	8.0	Aguadilla.....	89	66	80.2	2.70	2.70
Moxee Valley.....	58	-8	34.9	0.95	2.5	Hillsboro.....	66	4	30.2	1.26	2.0	Arecibo.....	88	63	76.6	6.31	6.31
New Whatcom.....	61	12	41.7	2.49	1.5	Knapp.....	60	-2	25.6	0.37	3.7	Bayamon.....	95	62	78.6	9.06	9.06
Northport.....	55	-11	30.4	2.54	8.0	Koepenick.....	.....	.....	.....	1.50	12.0	Canovanas.....	89	69	78.0	5.97	5.97
Olga.....	62	14	40.7	2.22	2.0	Lancaster.....	65	2	30.6	1.81	6.5	Cayey.....	98	59	76.9	4.08	4.08
Olympia.....	61	14	43.6	6.11	.....	Madison.....	64	11	32.6	1.72	5.0	Cidra.....	91	60	74.5	6.44	6.44
Pasco.....	58	-12	37.7	0.90	6.0	Manitowoc.....	61	10	32.9	2.46	6.2	Coamo.....	93	66	79.0	13.47	13.47
Pinehill.....	57	-5	38.9	5.00	14.0	Meadow Valley.....	67	6	29.2	1.22	3.0	Comerio.....	96	61	76.2	6.42	6.42
Port Townsend.....	57	20	43.3	1.18	1.3	Medford.....	60	-4	26.2	0.65	.....	Corozal.....	93	60	76.0	9.79	9.79
Republic.....	54	-15	29.4	1.94	13.5	Menasha.....	.....	.....	.....	1.40	4.4	Fajardo.....	92	67	80.0	3.42	3.42
Rosalia.....	56	-10	35.6	2.59	4.4	Nellisville.....	62	5	28.6	1.30	6.0	Hacienda Coloso.....	93	63	77.0	2.03	2.03
Sedro.....	65	9	41.6	3.24	.....	New London.....	62	7	29.8	1.62	3.5	Hacienda Perla.....	90	70	78.7	7.55	7.55
Shoalwater Bay *10.....	61	25	47.2	.....	.....	Oconto.....	64	9	32.4	1.48	5.5	Humacao.....	98	73	82.8	0.63	0.63
Silvana.....	56	10	40.6	0.61	.....	Oscoda.....	61	-7	26.6	0.71	6.5	Isabela.....	89	66	79.0	6.11	6.11
Snohomish.....	66	12	42.3	2.88	4.0	Oshkosh.....	57	12	32.8	1.30	.....	La Isolina.....	.....	.....	.....	10.43	10.43
Snoqualmie.....	.....	.....	.....	5.84	8.0	Peplin.....	64	4	28.6	0.47	5.0	Lajas.....	90	57	75.8	8.83	8.83
Southbend.....	69	20	46.4	9.46	0.5	Pine River.....	64	5	30.1	1.44	.....	Manati.....	94	63	77.5	9.51	9.51
Sprague.....	.....	.....	.....	0.80	6.0	Portage.....	63	7	31.5	1.93	8.0	Maunabo.....	89	72	80.6	4.12	4.12
Sunnyside.....	56	-7	37.0	0.64	1.0	Port Washington.....	65	5	35.0	1.85	3.5	Mayaguez.....	93	65	79.2	2.97	2.97
Twin.....	53	18	40.6	6.06	2.0	Prairie du Chien a.....	70	6	34.6	1.36	6.0	Port America.....	87	66	78.0	0.45	0.45
Union.....	57	14	40.8	8.77	10.3	Prairie du Chien b.....	.....	.....	.....	1.36	.....	Puerta de Tierra.....	89	71	79.9	5.44	5.44
Vancouver.....	64	13	45.0	4.34	0.7	Racine.....	65	10	37.5	4.19	.....	San German.....	94	60	78.1	5.89	5.89
Vashon.....	56	18	42.4	4.66	3.8	Shawano.....	62	9	30.3	1.21	5.0	San Lorenzo.....	92	60	77.6	4.18	4.18
Waterville.....	50	-11	29.8	0.80	6.0	Sheboygan.....	64	12	34.5	2.51	4.0	Utua.....	90	.....	.....	8.11	8.11
Wenatchee (near).....	56	-3	32.0	1.40	7.2	Spooner.....	62	-2	26.5	0.88	7.2	Vieques.....	89	68	77.8	2.10	2.10
Westacound.....	60	13	54.2	2.46	1.2	Stevens Point b.....	68	4	29.1	0.60	6.0	Yanco.....	93	61	78.0	8.25	8.25
Wilbur.....	55	-15	32.6	2.39	12.0	Sturgeon Bay Canal *10.....	60	14	32.3	.....	.....	Mexico.					
West Virginia.						Two Rivers *10.....	58	13	34.0	.....	.....	Ciudad P. Diaz.....	82	36	61.2	0.36	0.36
Beckley.....	70	21	45.0	2.94	1.5	Valley Junction.....	65	6	30.4	1.24	2.8	Coatzacoalcas.....	86	61	74.5	1.82	1.82
Beverly.....	75	10	43.6	5.65	5.0	Viroqua.....	65	4	30.4	2.10	7.1	Leon de Aldamas.....	79	38	60.8	0.97	0.97
Bluefield.....	79	30	46.0	5.47	7.0	Watertown.....	62	3	31.4	2.80	5.0	Puebla.....	77	40	58.8	0.59	0.59
Buckhannon.....	70	12	43.2	6.69	3.5	Waukesha.....	62	6	33.0	1.86	4.0	Tampico.....	84	54	71.5	0.39	0.39
Burlington.....	74	13	46.7	4.09	T.	Waupaca.....	68	6	30.2	1.94	5.0	Topolobampo *1.....	91	52	71.4	0.40	0.40
Camden.....	68	17	45.0	5.57	2.2	Wausau.....	63	8	30.8	1.15	4.0	Vera Cruz.....	85	60	74.8	1.67	1.67
Central.....	77	9	42.9	4.87	0.5	Westland.....	63	9	32.4	2.48	0.2	New Brunswick.					
Charleston.....	.....	.....	.....	6.14	T.	Westfield.....	60	8	30.2	1.70	3.0	St. John.....	58	15	37.8	6.00	8.9
Creston.....	.....	.....	.....	4.81	T.	Whitehall.....	61	3	29.4	0.71	4.0	Nicaragua.....	90	74	81.8	1.18	1.18
Dayton.....	78	10	49.4	2.54	2.0	Wyoming.						Late reports for October, 1900.					
Eastbank.....	70	.....	.....	4.35	.....	Alcoa.....	67	-3	38.4	T.	T.	Alabama.					
Elkhorn.....	74	23	46.6	5.85	7.5	Basin.....	67	-4	29.6	0.02	0.2	Elba.....	90	46	70.2	3.90	3.90
Fairmont.....	.....	.....	.....	5.59	1.0	Bipiney.....	53	-5	25.4	0.40	3.5	Alaska.					
Glenville.....	79	13	45.0	4.89	T.	Bitter Creek.....	68	-2	33.4	0.80	8.0	Kenai.....	54	-5	32.2	2.19	11.0
Grafton.....	78	12	43.5	6.18	3.0	Burlington.....	62	-6	30.6	T.	T.	Orca.....	53	25	37.8	9.78	11.1
Harpers Ferry.....	.....	.....	.....	5.62	0.1	Casper.....	66	-2	37.6	0.12	1.5	Tyoonok.....	61	10	34.6	2.53	14.2
Hinton a.....	80	23	46.4	.....	1.0	Centennial.....	58	9	33.8	0.53	5.0	Wood Island.....	63	22	42.0	1.86	0.5
Hinton b.....	76	17	44.6	7.40	1.0	Chugwater.....	64	3	37.6	0.05	0.5	Arizona.					
Huntington.....	79	12	44.6	5.55	T.	Cody.....	68	-5	37.2	0.03	0.3	Arizona Canal Co. Dam.....	93	39	72.2	0.46	0.46
Josiah.....	79	12	44.6	5.55	T.	Daniel.....	55	0	30.6	1.60	16.0	Benson *1.....	91	35	70.0	0.00	0.00
Lewisburg.....	73	12	45.2	6.69	.....	Evanston.....	58	0	31.4	2.18	9.5	Camp Creek.....	87	42	67.6	0.91	0.91
Magnolia.....	76	17	47.4	2.71	.....	Fort Laramie.....	72	-3	35.9	0.24	3.3	Cochise *1.....	89	45	67.1	0.00	0.00
Martinsburg.....	71	17	46.8	3.00	T.	Fort Washakie.....	66	3	34.6	0.02	0.2	San Simon *1.....	84	40	65.2	0.00	0.00
Morgantown.....	77	13	45.4	5.06	0.2	Fort Yellowstone.....	57	-12	29.0	1.17	11.7	Walnutgrove.....	.....	.....	.....	0.00	0.00
New Martinsville.....	77	14	46.8	5.38	.....	Fourbear.....	61	-13	32.7	0.50	6.0	California.					
Oceana.....	75	20	45.8	6.51	.....	Hyattville.....	65	-8	31.8	T.	T.	Agnew.....	89	36	61.8	1.19	1.19
Parsons.....	73	11	43.0	4.00	.....	Iron Mountain.....	66	1	36.6	0.11	1.1	Blue Lakes City.....	.....	.....	.....	1.97	1.97
Phillips a.....	76	9	43.4	5.62	4.0	Kimball Ranch.....	66	-19	34.4	0.40	4.0	Lakeside.....	91	28	59.2	3.62	3.62
Phillips b.....	.....	.....	.....	5.68	.....	Laramie.....	.....	.....	.....	0.06	0.6	Placerville.....	80	46	61.2		

TABLE II.—*Climatological record of voluntary and other cooperating observers*—Continued.

EXPLANATION OF SIGNS.

* Extremes of temperature from observed readings of dry thermometer.

A numeral following the name of a station indicates the hours of observation from which the mean temperature was obtained, thus:

¹ Mean of 7 a. m. + 2 p. m. + 9 p. m. + 9 p. m. + 4.

² Mean of 8 a. m. + 8 p. m. + 2.

³ Mean of 7 a. m. + 7 p. m. + 2.

⁴ Mean of 6 a. m. + 6 p. m. + 2.

⁵ Mean of 7 a. m. + 2 p. m. + 2.

⁶ Mean of readings at various hours reduced to true daily mean by special tables.

⁷ Mean from hourly readings of thermograph.

⁸ Mean of sunrise and noon.

¹⁰ Mean of sunrise, noon, sunset, and midnight.

The absence of a numeral indicates that the mean temperature has been obtained from daily readings of the maximum and minimum thermometers.

An italic letter following the name of a station, as "Livingston a," "Livingston b," indicates that two or more observers, as the case may be, are reporting from the same station. A small roman letter following the name of a station, or in figure columns, indicates the number of days missing from the record; for instance "a" denotes 14 days missing.

No note is made of breaks in the continuity of temperature records when the same do not exceed two

days. All known breaks, of whatever duration, in the precipitation record receive appropriate notice.

CORRECTIONS.

June, 1900, Alabama, Warrior, make precipitation 18.65 instead of 17.75; July, 1900, Alabama, Oxanna, make precipitation 6.41 instead of 6.61; August, 1900, Alabama, Fort Deposit, make precipitation 4.35 instead of 4.55; August, 1900, page 328, make average maximum pressure at Honolulu 29.991 instead of 29.954.

October, 1900, Missouri, Mineralspring, make minimum and mean temperatures 39° and 62.9°, instead of 33° and 59.9°.

NOTE.—The following change has been made in names of stations, Oklahoma. Wood changed to Poarch.

TABLE III.—Mean temperature for each hour of seventy-fifth meridian time, November, 1900.

Stations.	1 a. m.	2 a. m.	3 a. m.	4 a. m.	5 a. m.	6 a. m.	7 a. m.	8 a. m.	9 a. m.	10 a. m.	11 a. m.	Noon.	1 p. m.	2 p. m.	3 p. m.	4 p. m.	5 p. m.	6 p. m.	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	9 p. m.	10 p. m.	11 p. m.	Midn't.	Mean.
Bismarck, N. Dak....	19.0	18.4	17.9	17.8	17.5	17.3	16.6	16.9	16.7	17.6	19.6	21.9	24.2	26.0	27.3	27.7	27.2	25.6	23.3	22.0	20.7	20.0	19.3	18.8	20.8
Boston, Mass.....	43.0	42.7	42.5	42.4	42.3	42.3	42.6	43.2	44.8	46.0	47.9	48.7	48.9	49.4	49.0	48.4	47.8	46.5	45.3	44.7	43.8	43.1	42.7	42.1	43.1
Buffalo, N. Y.....	40.9	40.3	40.1	40.0	39.7	39.4	39.5	39.7	39.9	40.6	41.6	42.5	43.5	43.8	44.0	43.9	43.0	42.2	42.0	41.5	40.8	40.4	40.4	41.3	41.8
Cedar City, Utah....	41.9	41.3	41.1	40.1	39.9	39.2	38.8	38.0	37.5	38.1	41.3	44.9	47.3	49.2	50.7	52.1	53.1	52.8	51.7	47.5	45.8	44.5	43.3	43.3	44.3
Chicago, Ill.....	37.7	37.2	36.8	36.3	35.9	35.6	35.3	35.3	35.5	36.4	37.6	39.0	40.2	41.0	41.5	42.0	41.5	40.9	39.7	39.5	38.4	38.0	37.5	37.1	38.2
Cincinnati, Ohio....	43.3	42.9	42.1	41.7	40.8	40.5	39.5	39.5	40.5	41.4	42.8	45.3	47.4	48.6	49.8	50.0	50.6	50.4	49.4	48.0	47.1	46.0	45.2	43.7	45.0
Cleveland, Ohio....	41.8	41.6	41.0	40.5	40.3	39.7	39.5	39.4	39.5	40.8	42.3	43.1	43.9	44.5	44.9	45.1	44.7	44.2	43.3	42.9	42.3	42.0	41.4	41.3	42.1
Detroit, Mich.....	38.1	37.8	37.4	37.0	36.6	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.9	37.8	38.9	39.7	40.4	40.8	41.3	41.4	41.1	40.5	40.1	39.7	39.4	38.9	38.2	37.0	38.7
Dodge, Kans.....	36.9	36.0	35.4	35.1	34.4	33.7	33.0	32.7	33.1	35.5	40.7	45.1	49.3	51.9	53.6	54.7	54.7	53.4	49.0	44.5	42.0	40.7	39.5	38.5	41.8
Eastport, Me.....	37.2	37.0	36.8	37.0	36.7	37.0	37.4	37.8	38.6	39.1	39.8	40.6	41.2	41.6	41.1	40.5	39.9	39.5	39.0	38.7	37.9	37.5	37.2	37.1	38.6
Galveston, Tex.....	63.6	63.4	63.0	62.5	62.0	61.9	61.5	61.3	62.1	63.5	65.2	66.5	67.4	67.9	68.4	69.5	69.2	68.1	66.6	65.6	64.8	64.6	64.3	63.7	64.9
Havre, Mont.....	21.0	20.0	19.5	18.7	17.9	17.6	16.9	17.3	17.4	18.2	20.8	23.8	27.0	29.1	30.9	31.4	31.2	29.9	27.2	26.0	24.4	21.6	21.3	21.9	23.2
Independence, Cal..	48.7	47.9	46.1	44.6	44.7	44.4	43.6	43.8	41.5	40.7	43.1	46.5	50.0	51.8	56.8	59.2	60.7	60.8	59.6	57.2	53.7	52.4	51.0	49.6	50.0
Kalispell, Mont.....	26.5	25.9	25.7	24.9	24.6	24.3	24.1	24.9	23.1	23.0	23.1	25.2	27.1	29.3	31.4	32.4	33.1	32.9	31.4	30.3	29.1	28.3	27.9	27.0	27.3
Kansas City, Mo....	39.9	39.7	39.2	39.0	38.7	38.6	37.8	37.4	37.6	39.0	40.9	43.0	44.9	46.0	47.0	47.5	47.6	46.7	45.3	43.9	42.8	41.9	41.2	40.4	41.9
Key West, Fla.....	72.9	72.7	72.6	72.4	72.1	72.0	71.9	73.2	73.6	74.3	74.8	75.3	75.9	76.1	76.0	75.5	75.2	74.4	73.8	73.9	73.4	73.2	73.1	72.9	73.8
Marquette, Mich....	30.7	30.6	30.3	30.1	29.8	29.7	29.6	29.8	29.8	30.2	30.7	31.4	32.0	32.4	32.6	32.7	32.3	31.9	31.3	31.1	30.8	30.4	30.4	30.2	30.9
Memphis, Tenn.....	51.5	50.4	49.8	49.0	48.4	47.9	47.5	47.1	47.8	50.0	51.9	54.1	56.6	57.7	58.8	59.4	59.6	58.4	56.3	55.1	54.1	53.2	52.6	51.7	52.9
Mt. Tamalpais, Cal..	53.3	52.9	52.2	52.9	52.6	52.6	52.1	51.8	51.7	51.2	51.8	52.5	53.3	53.6	54.3	55.1	55.5	55.7	54.6	53.5	52.6	51.9	51.3	50.9	53.8
New Orleans, La....	60.5	59.7	59.2	58.6	58.3	58.3	57.5	57.7	60.3	62.8	65.4	67.0	68.9	70.1	70.0	70.1	69.0	67.0	65.4	64.1	62.5	61.0	60.5	60.5	63.1
New York, N. Y.....	46.7	46.5	46.2	46.1	46.1	45.8	45.8	46.0	46.4	47.9	49.4	50.4	51.3	52.0	52.6	52.7	51.7	51.1	50.1	49.2	48.1	47.6	47.2	46.9	48.5
Philadelphia, Pa....	46.8	46.4	45.9	45.7	45.7	45.6	46.2	47.4	48.6	50.1	51.6	52.7	53.5	54.0	54.1	53.9	52.7	51.3	50.3	49.7	48.9	48.1	47.4	46.9	49.3
Pittsburg, Pa.....	43.7	43.6	43.3	42.5	42.0	41.8	41.6	42.2	42.4	44.1	45.3	46.8	47.5	48.1	48.9	49.0	48.5	47.9	46.8	46.4	45.4	44.9	43.7	43.4	45.0
Portland, Oreg.....	44.6	44.1	43.8	43.8	43.3	43.3	43.0	43.6	42.7	42.7	42.8	43.6	45.1	46.4	47.6	48.8	49.7	49.8	49.5	48.5	47.3	46.6	45.8	45.3	46.5
St. Louis, Mo.....	44.4	44.0	43.5	43.0	42.3	42.1	41.8	41.9	42.5	44.1	46.2	48.3	50.5	52.0	52.9	53.2	52.7	51.8	50.4	49.4	48.0	47.2	46.3	45.5	46.8
St. Paul, Minn.....	29.1	28.7	28.4	27.9	27.6	27.2	26.9	26.2	26.2	26.3	27.3	28.7	30.0	30.8	31.7	32.4	32.7	32.5	31.4	30.8	30.2	29.7	29.1	28.8	29.2
Salt Lake City, Utah.	41.1	40.9	41.2	40.6	39.6	39.5	39.9	39.4	38.6	39.2	41.7	44.8	48.1	48.9	50.9	51.4	51.9	50.7	48.3	46.9	44.6	43.9	42.5	41.9	44.0
San Diego, Cal.....	60.8	60.7	60.4	60.2	59.6	59.5	59.4	59.9	58.8	59.0	61.4	64.1	67.4	69.5	70.0	69.6	69.9	69.5	68.7	66.7	64.9	63.7	62.8	61.9	63.7
San Francisco, Cal..	55.5	54.9	54.2	54.0	53.3	52.9	52.4	53.9	52.5	52.0	52.6	54.1	55.4	56.3	58.0	59.2	60.1	60.1	59.6	58.7	57.9	57.2	56.6	56.0	55.7
Santa Fe, N. Mex....	37.9	37.1	36.3	35.6	34.6	34.9	33.6	33.7	33.0	37.1	40.5	42.8	44.5	46.1	48.6	49.3	49.6	48.6	45.8	42.1	40.2	39.5	38.7	38.1	40.3
Savannah, Ga.....	56.5	56.0	55.3	54.8	54.2	53.8	53.6	54.7	57.8	61.3	64.8	67.2	68.2	68.8	68.7	68.1	66.5	63.7	61.5	60.7	59.3	58.5	57.5	56.7	60.3
Washington, D. C....	45.7	45.5	45.4	45.0	44.9	44.6	44.2	45.4	47.6	49.6	51.6	53.1	54.5	55.4	55.7	55.4	54.1	52.2	50.5	49.4	48.1	47.4	46.3	45.7	49.0
<i>West Indies.</i>																									
Basseterre, St. Kitts.	76.5	76.2	76.0	75.6	75.6	76.8	80.1	81.6	82.7	83.7	83.6	83.3	83.8	82.8	82.0	80.9	78.6	77.9	77.8	77.9	77.6	77.2	77.0	76.6	79.2
Bridgetown, Barb.	75.1	75.0	74.7	74.6	74.7	77.4	81.9	81.3	84.2	84.7	85.2	84.3	84.4	83.4	82.3	81.4	79.5	78.1	77.3	76.5	76.1	75.9	75.6	75.3	79.2
Cienfuegos, Cuba....	69.5	68.8	68.5	68.3	68.2	68.3	68.9	72.6	75.8	78.0	80.7	82.2	83.0	82.6	82.5	81.4	79.0	76.5	74.2	72.9	72.1	71.5	70.6	69.9	74.4
Havana, Cuba.....	71.8	71.2	70.7	70.3	70.3	70.1	70.1	72.2	75.4	77.8	79.1	80.2	79.7	79.2	78.5	77.5	76.0	75.3	74.7	74.1	73.3	72.8	72.1	71.7	74.7
Kingston, Jamaica....	72.7	72.3	72.1	71.7	71.7	71.6	71.9	76.4	79.9	82.4	84.4	85.1	85.4	84.9	84.5	83.3	81.4	78.9	77.2	76.1	74.9	74.1	73.7	72.8	77.5
Port of Spain, Trin.	73.8	73.9	73.7	73.4	73.0	75.1	78.8	81.1	84.4	84.5	84.1	83.8	82.7	82.8	82.3	81.8	79.9	78.7	77.6	76.7	75.8	75.1	74.1	73.4	78.4
P. Principe, Cuba....	70.1	69.4	69.0	68.8	68.6	68.6	68.6	72.9	75.6	78.5	80.3	81.2	82.1	81.6	80.5	79.3	78.0	75.9	74.5	73.0	72.2	71.6	71.1	70.5	74.3
Roseau, Dominica....	74.8	74.5	74.6	74.7	74.4	74.7	78.0	81.8	83.3	84.4	85.1	84.9	84.9	84.3	83.0	81.4	78.6	77.4	76.5	75.7	74.8	73.9	73.5	73.8	78.7
San Juan, P. R.....	75.4	75.2	74.7	74.6	74.5	75.3	76.6	78.8	82.1	82.7	82.8	83.4	83.5	83.0	82.0	81.0	79.8	79.1	78.6	77.6	76.9	76.3	75.7	75.3	78.8
Santiago de Cuba....	73.3	73.9	73.5	73.4	71.9	71.8	73.7	76.0	80.3	82.7	85.4	86.6	86.6	84.8	82.6	80.8	78.6	77.3	76.5	75.7	75.0	74.5	74.1	73.8	78.0
Santo Domingo, S. D.	72.4	72.0	71.6	71.1	71.0	70.9	72.9	76.7	79.9	82.3	83.4	83.0	83.1	82.9	81.9	80.7	79.3	77.8	76.6	75.6	74.6	73.8	73.5	72.7	76.6
Willemstad, Curaçao	78.4	78.2	78.0	77.7	77.6	77.8	79.7	81.1	81.8	82.7	82.2	82.9	81.2	83.3	83.1	82.2	80.7	80.1	79.9	79.7	79.5	79.2	79.0	78.3	80.3

TABLE IV.—Mean pressure for each hour of seventy-fifth meridian time, November, 1900.

Stations.	1 a. m.	2 a. m.	3 a. m.	4 a. m.	5 a. m.	6 a. m.	7 a. m.	8 a. m.	9 a. m.	10 a. m.	11 a. m.	Noon.	1 p. m.	2 p. m.	3 p. m.	4 p. m.	5 p. m.	6 p. m.	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	9 p. m.	10 p. m.	11 p. m.	Midn't.	Mean.		
Bismarck, N. Dak....	38.322	.321	.322	.325	.323	.326	.331	.331	.340	.344	.346	.346	.335	.321	.310	.307	.307	.310	.314	.316	.317	.321	.321	.322	.324		
Boston, Mass.....	29.875	.872	.867	.862	.863	.868	.875	.885	.884	.883	.869	.848	.838	.832	.833	.839	.848	.857	.863	.867	.870	.872	.872	.865	.868		
Buffalo, N. Y.....	29.165	.165	.170	.170	.165	.167	.171	.173	.172	.172	.168	.152	.136	.131	.100	.130	.139	.146	.154	.157	.164	.165	.165	.165	.168		
Cedar City, Utah.....	34.341	.342	.341	.341	.339	.337	.334	.335	.343	.352	.364	.370	.371	.355	.336	.322	.314	.315	.315	.319	.325	.332	.337	.338	.338		
Chicago, Ill.....	29.172	.165	.165	.160	.159	.158	.161	.170	.173	.176	.181	.187	.169	.161	.157	.158	.168	.177	.183	.190	.192	.192	.189	.187	.174		
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	29.420	.419	.420	.418	.418	.421	.429	.433	.443	.449	.447	.436	.415	.409	.406	.406	.413	.419	.425	.426	.430	.432	.429	.429	.425		
Cleveland, Ohio.....	29.206	.205	.203	.203	.204	.209	.212	.214	.217	.216	.210	.196	.182	.179	.181	.185	.192	.202	.209	.214	.213	.212	.211	.210	.203		
Detroit, Mich.....	29.234	.233	.230	.226	.223	.223	.225	.229	.230	.229	.229	.218	.207	.196	.196	.203	.212	.219	.226	.231	.234	.236	.236	.237	.223		
Dodge, Kans.....	27.485	.487	.488	.493	.492	.490	.490	.491	.497	.503	.510	.508	.490	.465	.446	.434	.433	.434	.445	.461	.470	.477	.489	.484	.477		
Eastport, Me.....	29.891	.891	.885	.888	.881	.885	.894	.901	.904	.904	.892	.883	.870	.865	.868	.871	.877	.884	.889	.895	.894	.890	.884	.879	.886		
Galveston, Tex.....	30.044	.040	.038	.035	.036	.038	.049	.058	.067	.075	.079	.070	.051	.023	.007	.000	.001	.004	.017	.028	.041	.048	.053	.054	.040		
Havre, Mont.....	27.425	.425	.427	.428	.426	.422	.418	.415	.413	.414	.417	.421	.422	.409	.394	.392	.390	.391	.397	.399	.400	.406	.411	.415	.412		
Independence, Cal.....	26.054	.058	.061	.061	.062	.060	.056	.058	.065	.072	.080	.086	.093	.087	.066	.046	.032	.025	.025	.026	.032	.037	.047	.053	.056		
KallsPELL, Mont.....	27.002	.007	.006	.008	.008	.004	.001	.997	.002	.997	.012	.016	.015	.005	.992	.988	.977	.978	.980	.983	.988	.991	.997	.999	.998		
Kansas City, Mo.....	29.107	.104	.103	.105	.103	.103	.103	.116	.126	.136	.145	.146	.128	.113	.097	.088	.090	.089	.097	.101	.109	.110	.111	.112	.110		
Key West, Fla.....	30.035	.027	.018	.014	.012	.020	.031	.049	.056	.062	.063	.053	.032	.012	.998	.993	.995	.000	.007	.022	.033	.038	.040	.039	.027		
Marquette, Mich.....	29.210	.212	.210	.207	.206	.205	.207	.207	.211	.215	.219	.214	.201	.197	.203	.207	.219	.227	.232	.241	.231	.232	.229	.226	.215		
Memphis, Tenn.....	29.715	.715	.719	.719	.718	.723	.733	.748	.759	.768	.777	.771	.752	.730	.717	.709	.707	.706	.708	.713	.716	.716	.720	.721	.728		
Mt. Tamalpais, Cal.....	27.573	.575	.574	.571	.570	.566	.567	.564	.567	.577	.588	.598	.607	.612	.602	.590	.579	.574	.565	.562	.565	.568	.578	.573	.578		
New Orleans, La.....	30.064	.062	.062	.063	.062	.073	.083	.098	.106	.110	.110	.102	.079	.061	.042	.047	.038	.041	.032	.059	.069	.073	.071	.070	.070		
New York, N. Y.....	29.688	.690	.687	.684	.682	.688	.698	.706	.708	.706	.692	.676	.660	.652	.653	.652	.663	.670	.680	.682	.687	.687	.687	.683	.682		
Philadelphia, Pa.....	29.927	.931	.925	.924	.924	.933	.942	.946	.950	.948	.935	.920	.904	.896	.894	.898	.905	.914	.919	.924	.925	.926	.923	.924	.923		
Pittsburg, Mo.....	29.151	.148	.144	.141	.138	.141	.145	.148	.152	.154	.151	.138	.121	.105	.109	.114	.130	.129	.139	.142	.147	.148	.147	.151	.138		
Portland, Oreg.....	29.856	.860	.862	.861	.863	.862	.855	.857	.860	.868	.879	.886	.893	.894	.887	.875	.863	.859	.856	.854	.856	.859	.863	.867	.866		
St. Louis, Mo.....	29.493	.492	.493	.490	.491	.497	.504	.512	.534	.532	.536	.530	.509	.493	.479	.473	.474	.478	.486	.491	.494	.497	.501	.500	.490		
St. Paul, Minn.....	29.174	.174	.176	.179	.180	.182	.184	.187	.194	.200	.203	.209	.199	.182	.180	.177	.178	.180	.184	.188	.188	.189	.186	.187	.186		
Salt Lake City, Utah.....	25.705	.707	.707	.707	.710	.709	.707	.706	.710	.716	.724	.738	.734	.722	.707	.696	.687	.686	.687	.688	.693	.694	.700	.703	.705		
San Diego, Cal.....	29.890	.891	.889	.887	.884	.881	.876	.879	.885	.895	.905	.915	.918	.910	.895	.870	.859	.854	.853	.856	.865	.873	.879	.896	.893		
San Francisco, Cal.....	29.898	.899	.896	.892	.892	.888	.887	.887	.895	.904	.914	.923	.932	.927	.913	.900	.889	.883	.879	.884	.890	.893	.898	.898	.898		
Santa Fe, N. Mex.....	30.048	.045	.043	.041	.045	.053	.064	.076	.085	.098	.079	.060	.035	.019	.012	.009	.013	.016	.028	.039	.043	.047	.051	.050	.045		
Savannah, Ga.....	29.949	.950	.948	.948	.952	.957	.966	.977	.982	.984	.976	.954	.932	.919	.916	.918	.922	.931	.936	.939	.941	.942	.944	.947	.947		
West Indies.																											
Baseterre, St. Kitts.....	29.873	.862	.856	.859	.873	.889	.908	.931	.925	.914	.894	.871	.854	.847	.845	.832	.832	.872	.886	.896	.903	.899	.892	.885	.881		
Bridgetown, Bar.....	29.848	.838	.839	.842	.850	.863	.881	.892	.897	.888	.867	.843	.825	.817	.817	.830	.839	.859	.881	.896	.907	.907	.904	.897	.893		
Cienfuegos, Cuba.....	29.932	.923	.916	.916	.922	.933	.947	.959	.971	.971	.952	.931	.907	.890	.885	.885	.891	.905	.925	.935	.947	.950	.948	.940	.928		
Havana, Cuba.....	29.965	.955	.947	.945	.948	.957	.971	.984	.995	.000	.004	.980	.956	.937	.927	.925	.929	.947	.962	.973	.980	.980	.971	.961	.941		
Kingston, Jamaica.....	29.636	.609	.596	.596	.600	.611	.630	.642	.656	.653	.634	.613	.582	.563	.551	.551	.564	.575	.597	.614	.630	.638	.636	.632	.600		
Port of Spain, Trin. P.....	29.511	.504	.506	.513	.531	.549	.569	.576	.573	.559	.531	.509	.488	.477	.475	.481	.492	.505	.520	.540	.562	.583	.602	.622	.644		
P. Principe, Cuba.....	29.613	.607	.607	.613	.624	.636	.650	.660	.660	.650	.634	.610	.597	.590	.594	.592	.609	.621	.634	.639	.645	.638	.632	.622	.604		
Roseau, Dominica.....	29.843	.847	.846	.830	.861	.873	.888	.903	.897	.897	.876	.853	.840	.831	.823	.834	.841	.835	.844	.847	.878	.879	.873	.862	.844		
San Juan, P. R.....	29.843	.837	.837	.834	.845	.857	.869	.881	.889	.878	.863	.843	.824	.800	.802	.811	.821	.833	.847	.858	.865	.865	.878	.880	.846		
Santiago de Cuba.....	29.848	.837	.838	.834	.840	.851	.862	.871	.881	.873	.859	.830	.802	.787	.781	.787	.802	.812	.831	.850	.864	.868	.864	.856	.836		
Santo Domingo, S. D.....	29.883	.870	.861	.839	.874	.890	.905	.918	.928	.918	.902	.878	.851	.837	.831	.832	.845	.856	.872	.891	.901	.903	.898	.890	.879		
Willemstad, Curaçao.....	29.764	.754	.750	.755	.770	.787	.809	.822	.823	.810	.787	.759	.729	.711	.705	.707	.717	.730	.757	.775	.789	.791	.787	.776	.769		

MONTHLY WEATHER REVIEW.

TABLE V.—Average wind movement for each hour of seventy-fifth meridian time, November, 1900.

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Stations.	1 a. m.	2 a. m.	3 a. m.	4 a. m.	5 a. m.	6 a. m.	7 a. m.	8 a. m.	9 a. m.	10 a. m.	11 a. m.	Noon.	1 p. m.	2 p. m.	3 p. m.	4 p. m.	5 p. m.	6 p. m.	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	9 p. m.	10 p. m.	11 p. m.	Midnight.	Mean.
Abilene, Tex.	7.3	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.2	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.8	7.0	8.0	8.8	9.5	10.2	10.8	10.2	9.7	7.6	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.8	6.6	7.3
Albany, N. Y.	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.8	7.6	7.3	8.0	8.5	9.3	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.4	9.8	7.6	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.8	6.6	7.3
Alpena, Mich.	8.8	8.3	8.2	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.5	9.9	11.4	11.7	12.4	12.7	13.0	13.8	12.0	9.3	7.6	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.8	6.6	7.3
Amarillo, Tex.	13.4	13.0	12.8	12.2	12.0	13.8	13.2	13.2	12.6	12.9	14.7	17.5	19.8	18.8	18.2	16.5	16.5	15.5	13.0	11.2	11.1	11.6	11.6	11.0	11.1
Atlanta, Ga.	11.3	11.1	10.7	10.5	11.0	11.2	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.7	11.0	11.3	11.4	11.6	12.0	12.3	11.9	9.8	7.6	5.9	5.9	6.3	6.8	6.6	7.3
Atlantic City, N. J.	11.4	11.3	11.7	11.6	11.8	11.9	11.6	11.5	13.3	14.4	14.3	13.7	13.9	13.8	13.2	13.1	12.5	11.6	12.4	12.7	12.5	12.7	12.4	11.5	12.5
Augusta, Ga.	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.4	5.3	6.4	6.8	7.7	8.4	9.3	9.5	8.7	7.7	5.5	5.8	5.5	5.0	4.2	4.6	4.0	5.8
Baker City, Oreg.	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.6	7.3	6.4	6.2	6.5	5.6	6.2	6.5	5.8	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.9	4.7	3.5	4.1	4.3	4.9	5.9	5.7	5.5
Baltimore, Md.	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.8	4.4	3.8	3.9	4.4	5.1	5.8	6.0	6.6	7.1	7.1	7.4	6.5	6.3	5.2	4.4	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	5.2
Bismarck, N. Dak.	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.4	6.9	8.5	10.1	11.4	11.5	11.7	12.2	11.0	9.1	7.5	7.3	6.9	6.2	6.1	5.3	7.7
Block Island, R. I.	30.2	30.5	30.1	31.3	31.3	30.9	30.0	30.4	31.1	31.2	30.9	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3	30.3
Boise, Idaho.	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.3	3.7	4.4	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.5	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2
Boston, Mass.	10.9	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.6	12.7	12.6	13.3	13.5	13.8	14.0	14.5	14.3	13.4	13.9	13.7	11.6	11.4	10.9	10.6	11.2	11.4	11.2	12.2
Buffalo, N. Y.	16.6	15.5	15.7	15.9	16.0	16.1	16.4	15.6	16.3	17.0	19.0	18.4	19.2	20.2	19.8	19.3	18.8	18.1	18.6	18.5	18.3	17.9	17.0	17.6	17.6
Cairo, Ill.	8.2	8.1	8.3	8.6	9.0	9.1	9.5	8.7	9.4	9.8	11.0	11.4	11.0	11.0	10.5	10.4	10.2	8.9	8.0	8.0	8.3	8.7	8.5	8.1	9.3
Cape Henry, Va.	15.1	15.9	16.0	15.6	15.7	15.1	15.8	16.3	15.6	15.4	14.9	14.5	15.7	15.5	14.6	13.5	12.2	11.1	12.1	13.0	14.3	14.6	15.1	15.0	14.7
Carson City, Nev.	4.3	4.7	4.4	4.9	5.2	5.3	4.9	6.4	5.5	4.9	4.7	3.9	4.3	5.0	6.5	9.2	10.2	11.2	9.9	8.2	7.6	5.8	4.9	4.4	5.8
Cedar City, Utah.	6.9	6.2	6.1	5.7	6.2	5.3	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.4	3.7	4.7	5.4	6.1	6.8	7.0	7.4	6.2	6.0	7.2	7.1	7.8	6.7	6.1
Charleston, S. C.	9.7	9.4	9.3	8.8	9.2	9.1	8.7	9.3	9.4	10.0	10.2	10.7	11.4	11.5	12.4	11.6	10.8	9.6	9.1	9.6	9.2	8.7	8.6	9.4	9.8
Charlotte, N. C.	6.7	6.8	6.5	6.1	6.0	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.8	6.0	7.6	8.0	8.3	9.0	9.0	8.9	7.5	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.5	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.8
Chattanooga, Tenn.	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.6	6.1	5.4	5.1	5.3	5.5	5.6	6.8	7.9	8.8	9.1	9.6	10.3	9.8	8.3	7.2	7.1	6.3	5.9	5.9	6.2	7.0
Cheyenne, Wyo.	9.9	9.8	9.2	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.7	10.6	8.9	9.4	9.3	11.5	14.5	14.5	16.3	14.5	13.2	10.8	9.2	9.2	8.3	5.9	5.9	6.2	7.0
Chicago, Ill.	17.4	16.9	16.9	17.7	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.5	17.8	17.4	18.0	17.4	17.7	17.3	17.5	17.9	17.4	16.5	16.6	16.4	16.8	17.3	17.9	17.1	18.8
Cincinnati, Ohio.	7.0	6.8	7.2	6.9	7.3	7.0	7.1	7.1	8.4	10.2	11.1	12.1	13.9	12.9	12.4	11.8	11.2	9.8	9.1	8.1	7.5	7.0	7.7	7.1	9.0
Cleveland, Ohio.	16.9	16.8	16.8	17.2	17.8	18.0	18.9	20.3	19.8	19.5	21.0	21.2	21.2	21.3	20.2	20.3	19.3	17.4	17.9	17.2	16.1	16.7	16.9	17.1	18.6
Columbia, Mo.	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.4	8.7	9.4	10.4	10.9	11.1	11.0	11.3	10.3	8.9	8.2	7.7	7.2	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.7
Columbus, Ohio.	7.6	7.6	7.4	7.5	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.4	8.7	9.4	10.4	10.9	11.1	11.0	11.3	10.3	8.9	8.2	7.7	7.2	7.7	7.7	7.7	8.7
Concordia, Kans.	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.6	5.0	5.0	4.9	6.0	6.5	7.1	8.3	7.8	8.3	8.1	7.3	6.0	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.2	5.0	4.7	5.8
Corpus Christi, Tex.	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.1	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.2	8.9	9.7	10.4	11.0	11.7	12.2	13.0	13.8	13.9	13.5	12.5	11.9	11.9	11.9	10.9	10.9	12.6
Davenport, Iowa.	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.0	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.4	7.7	8.2	8.9	9.0	9.5	9.2	9.7	9.0	7.7	7.2	6.6	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.9	7.5
Denver, Colo.	7.7	7.5	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.9	7.7	8.2	8.9	9.0	9.5	9.2	9.7	9.0	7.7	7.2	6.6	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.9	7.5
Des Moines, Iowa.	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.7	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.8	7.0	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.1	7.3	6.0	4.6	4.6	4.7	5.2	5.0	7.1
Detroit, Mich.	11.1	11.2	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.6	12.2	13.2	14.6	15.3	16.3	17.4	18.0	17.4	17.7	17.3	17.5	17.9	17.4	16.5	16.6	16.4	16.8	17.3	17.5
Dodge, Kans.	6.1	6.6	7.6	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.3	8.7	9.6	10.1	11.0	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.6	11.6	11.0	9.0	7.1	6.6	6.1	5.7	5.5	5.8	7.8
Dubuque, Iowa.	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.3	7.2	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.4	7.3	8.2	8.9	9.0	9.5	9.2	9.7	9.0	7.7	7.2	6.6	6.3	6.0	5.8	5.9	7.5
Duluth, Minn.	11.1	11.0	10.5	10.3	10.6	10.8	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.6	10.4	10.8	11.3	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.7	9.5	9.7	10.4	10.1	9.5	10.3	10.8	10.4
Eastport, Me.	11.3	11.5	11.9	12.5	11.6	12.3	13.1	13.5	13.1	13.6	14.3	14.5	14.3	14.1	14.5	14.1	14.5	14.1	13.5	11.9	10.8	11.1	11.6	11.3	13.1
Elkins, W. Va.	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.2	4.2	4.0	5.4	5.5	6.3	7.2	8.1	7.9	8.1	7.4	6.3	5.4	4.5	4.3	4.7	5.0	5.0	4.9	5.5
El Paso, Tex.	7.3	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.3	6.9	6.2	5.7	6.1	7.9	8.3	9.2	9.3	10.7	10.7	10.6	9.4	7.5	6.3	5.6	5.9	7.2	7.8
Erie, Pa.	14.2	14.5	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.8	14.2	14.9	14.0	14.9	14.8	14.8	16.3	16.3	15.9	15.7	14.8	14.3	14.2	14.9	15.0	14.6	14.5	13.7	14.7
Escanaba, Mich.	8.2	8.5	8.3	7.9	8.0	7.9	8.0	8.6	9.0	10.0	11.0	11.3	11.6	11.3	11.1	10.8	9.9	9.7	9.5	8.9	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.1	9.4
Eureka, Cal.	4.5	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.9	4.5	4.9	5.0	5.3	5.0	4.9	4.5	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.0
Evansville, Ind.	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.4	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.9	9.7	10.4	10.6	11.1	11.3	11.1	11.0	10.8	9.6	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.5	6.9	6.9	8.7
Fort Smith, Ark.	7.3	7.4	7.3	7.1	7.4	7.1	6.5	6.9	7.0	6.6	6.8	8.4	9.1	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4
Fort Worth, Tex.	9.3	8.7	9.7	9.5	9.4	8.9	8.7	8.7	9.1	9.6	10.6	11.0	11.8	11.6	11.3	11.1	10.8	9.9	9.7	9.5	8.9	8.4	8.2	8.1	9.4
Fresno, Cal.	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.0	4.5	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.2	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.5	3.9	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	4.0
Galveston, Tex.	9.4	9.9	9.8	9.2	9.6	9.2	8.9	9.7	9.5	9.8	10.0	10.1	10.0	9.8	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.5	9.5	9.8	9.7	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2
Grand Haven, Mich.	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.2	12.7	13.1	14.3	13.6	13.6	13.1	13.6	14.4	15.0	14.8	15.2	14.9	13.9	13.7	13.2	13.5	12.9	13.5	13.3	12.8	13.7
Grand Junction, Colo.	4.4	4.1	3.7	4.0	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.6	4.9	4.4	5.4	6.3	6.8	7.7	8.4	9.4	9.8	9.2	8.8	8.1	8.7	9.2	9.1	8.7	9.4
Green Bay, Wis.	7.8	7.4	7.2	7.5	7.2	7.5	7.3	7.3	8.1	9.1	9.6	10.3	11.3	12.0	12.2	11.8	10.3	9.1	8.7	9.2	9.1	8.7	8.2	7.4	8.9
Harrisburg, Pa.	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.5	7.3	6.5	6.7	6.5	7.1	7.9	9.0	9.5	9.6	10.9	10.6	10.4	9.0	8.1	7.9	8.0	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.4	8.0
Hatteras, N. C.	15.4	16.0	16.5	15.7	16.1	15.5	14.9	15.0	14.9	15.0	14.2	13.9	14.7	14.7	13.4	14.1	13.8	13.6	14.2	14.9	15.1	15.2	15.2	14.9	14.9
Haute, Mont.	9.4	9.8	9.4	9.2	8.9	8.7	8.4	8.8	9.4	9.5	9.8	10.4	12.1	12.9	13.0	13.1	12.5	10.8	9.1	8.7	9.6	10.0	10.1	9.9	10.2
Helena, Mont.	5.9	6.1	5.4	6.2	5.4	5.9	5.4	4.9	4.6	5.1															

TABLE V.—Average wind movement, etc.—Continued.

Stations.	1 a. m.	2 a. m.	3 a. m.	4 a. m.	5 a. m.	6 a. m.	7 a. m.	8 a. m.	9 a. m.	10 a. m.	11 a. m.	Noon.	1 p. m.	2 p. m.	3 p. m.	4 p. m.	5 p. m.	6 p. m.	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	9 p. m.	10 p. m.	11 p. m.	Midnight.	Mean.
New York, N. Y.	14.9	14.2	14.4	14.4	15.0	14.8	13.8	13.3	14.4	15.5	16.4	17.0	17.5	17.7	17.4	16.7	17.6	17.3	16.5	17.6	18.7	16.5	15.4	15.4	15.9
Norfolk, Va.	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.1	8.9	9.6	10.2	11.0	11.3	11.8	11.6	11.6	10.8	10.8	10.2	9.8	9.4	9.9	10.3	9.7	9.4	10.1
Northfield, Vt.	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.1	9.7	8.5	7.8	8.0	9.4	9.3	10.3	11.4	11.7	12.3	11.9	10.8	8.7	8.6	8.8	10.4	10.3	10.3	9.6	8.9	9.9
North Platte, Nebr.	6.1	6.4	6.6	6.8	6.4	6.6	6.2	6.4	6.0	7.0	7.7	8.2	9.3	9.5	9.3	9.8	9.6	8.8	7.0	6.3	6.2	7.4	7.4	7.0	7.4
Oklahoma, Okla.	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.3	7.0	6.8	7.3	7.1	8.2	9.5	10.4	11.3	11.1	11.7	11.4	11.1	9.2	7.7	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.9	7.8	8.5
Omaha, Nebr.	8.8	8.2	7.8	8.2	8.2	7.6	7.7	7.5	7.1	7.3	8.7	9.8	10.3	10.5	10.2	10.1	9.6	7.9	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.5	7.8	8.3
Oswego, N. Y.	14.3	13.9	13.7	13.9	13.9	13.0	12.9	12.3	12.2	12.5	13.0	12.4	13.2	13.3	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.0	13.6	14.0	13.6	13.3	13.9	13.8	13.4
Palestine, Tex.	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.0	6.6	6.4	6.2	7.2	8.4	8.9	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.7	9.2	8.7	7.2	6.7	6.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.9
Parkersburg, W. Va.	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.9	7.6	8.7	10.5	9.9	9.5	9.0	8.2	7.0	6.2	6.1	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.3	7.1
Pensacola, Fla.	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.0	7.7	9.0	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.6	9.7	9.4	8.7	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.4	8.5
Phoenix, Ariz.	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.2	3.4	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.0	4.8	4.2	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.6
Philadelphia, Pa.	10.3	9.9	10.5	10.5	10.0	9.3	9.5	10.0	10.7	11.2	12.5	12.5	12.9	12.7	13.5	12.1	11.6	11.5	11.3	10.7	11.0	10.8	9.9	10.0	11.0
Pierre, S. Dak.	5.9	5.6	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.9	5.1	5.6	5.8	6.4	7.6	8.0	8.2	9.3	9.7	10.0	8.3	7.4	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.0	5.4	6.8
Pittsburg, Pa.	7.1	6.5	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.4	8.4	8.7	8.9	9.0	8.7	8.4	7.4	7.7	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.4	6.5	6.3	7.4
Pocatello, Idaho	9.3	9.5	9.2	9.1	9.8	9.0	9.5	9.1	8.8	8.5	9.4	10.2	10.1	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.1	8.3	7.0	8.0	9.3	9.6	9.8	9.3
Point Reyes Lt., Cal.	10.7	9.8	9.4	9.3	8.7	8.6	8.6	9.2	9.0	7.9	7.7	7.1	6.8	7.1	7.0	7.8	8.2	8.5	8.6	9.7	10.7	11.1	11.4	11.0	8.9
Port Crescent, Wash.	2.7	3.1	3.0	3.7	4.0	3.4	3.1	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.7	3.5	3.4	4.2	4.7	4.3	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.5	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.5
Port Huron, Mich.	11.6	12.1	11.8	12.2	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.8	13.0	14.0	14.9	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.1	14.5	13.5	12.1	11.6	11.4	11.7	11.6	11.2	11.3	12.9
Portland, Me.	7.4	7.5	7.9	7.6	8.0	8.1	7.9	8.4	9.8	9.3	9.9	9.8	9.3	10.6	10.4	7.6	8.4	7.5	7.8	6.7	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.5	8.4
Portland, Oreg.	9.4	9.8	9.7	9.1	8.9	8.9	9.6	9.2	8.8	8.9	8.4	8.5	8.6	9.4	9.8	9.6	9.3	9.3	9.2	8.7	8.6	8.4	8.4	9.3	0.1
Pueblo, Colo.	5.7	5.8	6.4	5.6	5.3	5.5	5.4	4.6	4.8	4.2	4.7	5.1	5.9	6.8	7.2	6.9	7.5	8.4	8.2	7.4	6.4	6.5	6.8	5.9	6.1
Raleigh, N. C.	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.4	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.7	6.8	7.9	8.2	8.6	8.0	7.9	7.3	5.9	4.7	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.7	4.9	6.1
Rapid City, S. Dak.	6.4	7.0	6.9	7.7	8.3	8.6	8.8	8.4	9.1	8.8	8.6	9.6	10.3	11.2	12.2	12.0	10.3	8.4	7.2	6.6	6.6	6.9	6.5	6.2	8.4
Red Bluff, Cal.	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.3	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.8	4.2	5.0	5.4	5.8	6.1	5.5	5.1	4.6	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.5	4.1	4.4
Richmond, Va.	4.9	4.7	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.8	5.0	5.6	6.5	7.3	7.7	8.2	8.1	8.5	7.8	6.4	5.0	4.7	5.1	5.2	4.9	4.6	4.3	5.7
Rochester, N. Y.	9.2	9.0	8.6	8.9	8.3	8.4	8.0	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.6	9.8	11.0	11.4	11.0	10.1	8.9	8.3	8.3	8.8	9.5	9.2	8.9	8.8	9.2
Roseburg, Oreg.	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.6	3.0	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.8
Sacramento, Cal.	7.9	8.0	8.3	8.1	7.8	7.3	7.4	7.5	6.8	6.7	7.0	7.2	7.0	7.0	6.7	7.1	7.1	6.9	6.5	6.1	7.0	7.9	8.4	8.0	7.3
St. Louis, Mo.	10.0	10.2	10.5	11.1	10.9	10.6	10.6	11.4	11.5	11.9	11.8	11.7	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.5	12.1	10.4	10.7	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.5	10.2	11.2
St. Paul, Minn.	6.4	6.5	6.1	6.1	6.6	7.1	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.5	8.1	9.3	9.4	9.8	9.8	9.3	8.8	7.7	6.8	7.0	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.5	7.5
Salt Lake City, Utah.	4.0	4.5	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.9	3.7	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.5	5.8	7.1	8.0	8.5	8.8	7.4	4.4	4.0	4.4	4.9	3.7	5.0
San Antonio, Tex.	4.9	4.9	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.5	5.4	6.8	7.6	8.7	8.6	8.6	9.1	8.4	7.2	6.0	5.5	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.2	6.0
San Diego, Cal.	4.0	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.6	4.8	5.0	4.0	4.3	3.9	3.4	5.0	6.6	8.5	10.2	10.1	9.8	8.8	7.3	5.1	4.0	3.8	4.1	5.5
Sandusky, Ohio	9.0	9.3	9.7	10.0	10.1	10.2	9.9	10.4	9.6	10.5	11.6	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.0	11.1	10.4	9.4	8.7	8.7	8.1	9.3	9.6	9.2	10.1
San Francisco, Cal.	7.3	7.7	6.6	6.3	6.2	6.0	5.9	6.1	5.5	5.1	5.2	5.2	6.0	6.5	7.1	7.9	8.4	8.8	8.8	9.2	8.5	7.4	7.0	6.8	6.9
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	3.4	4.0	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.1	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.3	4.4	5.1	5.7	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.5	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.5
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	4.6	4.0	4.3	4.8	5.4	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.0	5.5	5.7	6.4	8.4	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.5	7.7	5.7	4.4	4.7	4.2	4.1	4.7	5.8
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.	9.5	9.1	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.2	8.5	8.3	8.4	8.9	9.9	10.3	10.9	11.2	10.9	11.6	11.0	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.3	9.8	9.7	9.0	9.6
Savannah, Ga.	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.7	7.1	7.7	8.3	8.5	9.1	9.6	9.4	9.6	8.4	6.8	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.9	6.4	7.3
Seattle, Wash.	4.8	5.4	5.1	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.9	6.4	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.0	4.7	4.3	5.5
Shreveport, La.	6.0	5.6	5.8	5.8	6.3	6.1	5.8	6.1	6.5	7.2	7.9	7.7	8.2	7.8	8.1	8.7	8.4	7.1	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.3	5.8	6.8
Sioux City, Iowa	9.7	9.7	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.2	9.7	10.6	11.3	11.7	11.5	12.4	12.3	13.0	13.2	11.6	10.4	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	10.2	10.0	10.7
Spokane, Wash.	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.8	5.4	5.8	6.0	5.7	6.0	5.7	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.5	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.6
Springfield, Ill.	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.8	9.7	9.8	10.1	10.0	11.0	11.3	11.9	12.7	13.0	11.9	11.6	10.9	9.7	9.1	8.7	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.0	10.2
Springfield, Mo.	9.8	9.7	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.4	10.4	11.3	12.2	12.5	12.6	12.1	11.6	10.1	8.8	9.5	9.7	9.9	10.0	10.0	10.1
Tacoma, Wash.	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.5	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	6.2	6.6	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3	6.9	7.0	7.1	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.5	5.7
Tampa, Fla.	10.4	11.2	11.5	11.4	11.6	11.4	11.2	11.6	12.3	13.4	13.8	14.0	13.9	14.0	13.9	13.0	12.4	10.5	9.1	9.8	10.4	10.4	10.8	10.3	11.8
Toledo, Ohio	8.2	7.6	7.6	8.5	8.0	7.7	7.9	8.2	7.7	8.0	8.8	9.9	10.8	11.2	12.1	12.8	12.5	11.1	9.1	8.5	7.8	8.3	7.7	8.1	9.1
Valentine, Nebr.	6.9	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.2	6.3	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.0	7.6	7.5	7.7	7.6	7.5	6.5	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.9	7.2	7.3	6.8
Walla Walla, Wash.	3.4	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.7	5.1	5.0	5.3	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.2	3.7	4.0	3.4	4.3
Washington, D. C.	6.0	6.5	6.9	6.6	6.6	6.3	6.7	7.8	9.0	10.4	10.8	10.7	11.0	10.5	9.4	8.4	7.2	6.5	6.6	7.0	7.3	7.6	7.0	7.9	7.9
Wichita, Kans.	7.4	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.8	7.1	6.9	7.3	6.9	8.0	8.7	9.4	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.7	10.4	8.8	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	8.0
Williston, N. Dak.	7.2	7.1	7.0	6.6	6.9	6.6	6.8	7.3	7.9	7.4	8.5	10.2	10.3	11.1	11.5	11.0	9.5	8.1	7.7	7.6	7.0	7.2	6.9	8.1	8.1
Wilmington, N. C.	7.7	7.3	7.4	7.0	6.7	6.9	6.0	6.5	7.7	8.8	10.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.6	10.7	9.7	7.7	7.9	8.0	7.8	8.0	7.6	7.6	8.3
Winnemucca, Nev.	7.8	8.1																							

TABLE VI.—Resultant winds from observations at 8 a. m. and 8 p. m., daily, during the month of November, 1900.

Stations.	Component direction from—				Resultant.		Stations.	Component direction from—				Resultant.	
	N.	S.	E.	W.	Direction from—	Duration.		N.	S.	E.	W.	Direction from—	Duration.
New England.													
Eastport, Me.	17	17	13	36	W.	13	Upper Mississippi Valley.—Con'd.	Hours.	Hours.	Hours.	Hours.	O.	Hours.
Portland, Me.	18	15	6	29	n. 83 w.	23	La Crosse, Wis. †	12	11	3	10	n. 82 w.	7
Northfield, Vt.	19	34	3	10	s. 25 w.	17	Davenport, Iowa	16	12	10	36	n. 81 w.	26
Boston, Mass.	18	19	9	25	s. 87 w.	16	Des Moines, Iowa	28	12	11	21	n. 32 w.	19
Nantucket, Mass.	19	20	12	34	s. 85 w.	12	Dubuque, Iowa	21	16	9	29	n. 76 w.	21
Block Island, R. I.	18	16	13	29	n. 83 w.	16	Keokuk, Iowa	23	14	12	26	n. 57 w.	17
New Haven Conn.	31	13	5	22	n. 43 w.	25	Cairo, Ill.	26	24	10	19	n. 77 w.	9
Middle Atlantic States.													
Albany, N. Y.	22	20	8	21	n. 84 w.	18	Springfield, Ill.	21	17	10	26	n. 76 w.	16
Binghamton, N. Y. †	9	7	3	19	n. 83 w.	16	Hannibal, Mo. †	10	9	7	11	n. 76 w.	4
New York, N. Y.	20	15	13	29	n. 73 w.	17	St. Louis, Mo.	18	23	6	26	s. 76 w.	21
Harrisburg, Pa. †	5	6	7	15	s. 83 w.	8	Missouri Valley.						
Philadelphia, Pa.	22	17	9	26	n. 74 w.	18	Columbia, Mo. †	14	9	3	8	n. 45 w.	7
Seranton, Pa.	22	17	8	28	n. 76 w.	21	Kansas City, Mo.	26	17	10	18	n. 42 w.	12
Atlantic City, N. J.	21	17	6	29	n. 75 w.	24	Springfield, Mo.	20	23	9	16	s. 67 w.	8
Cape May, N. J.	21	19	7	23	n. 83 w.	16	Lincoln, Nebr.	27	19	12	12	n.	7
Baltimore, Md.	17	19	10	29	s. 84 w.	18	Omaha, Nebr.	24	16	10	22	n. 56 w.	14
Washington, D. C.	23	21	5	26	n. 85 w.	21	Valentine, Nebr.	24	11	10	31	n. 59 w.	25
Lynchburg, Va.	17	20	13	29	s. 79 w.	16	Sioux City, Iowa †	13	9	3	13	n. 68 w.	11
Norfolk, Va.	19	24	13	17	s. 39 w.	6	Pierre, S. Dak.	18	18	23	16	e.	7
Richmond, Va.	25	22	6	22	n. 79 w.	16	Huron, S. Dak.	24	16	13	24	n. 54 w.	14
South Atlantic States.													
Charlotte, N. C.	21	19	19	16	n. 56 e.	4	Yankton, S. Dak. †	9	6	3	18	n. 79 w.	15
Hatteras, N. C.	23	18	12	20	n. 58 w.	9	Northern Slope.						
Kittyhawk, N. C. †	14	9	10	6	n. 39 e.	6	Havre, Mont.	16	11	18	31	n. 69 w.	14
Raleigh, N. C.	23	17	7	24	n. 71 w.	15	Miles City, Mont.	19	19	13	20	w.	7
Wilmington, N. C.	20	18	17	21	n. 63 w.	4	Helena, Mont.	14	22	3	36	s. 76 w.	34
Charleston, S. C.	22	15	14	23	n. 52 w.	11	Kalispell, Mont.	17	14	3	37	n. 85 w.	34
Augusta, Ga.	21	16	12	26	n. 70 w.	15	Rapid City, S. Dak.	22	14	13	24	n. 54 w.	14
Savannah, Ga.	21	16	13	21	n. 58 w.	9	Cheyenne, Wyo.	24	10	5	35	n. 65 w.	33
Jacksonville, Fla.	27	15	15	16	n. 5 w.	12	Lander, Wyo.	15	26	12	25	s. 50 w.	17
Florida Peninsula.													
Jupiter, Fla.	20	6	30	14	n. 49 e.	21	North Platte, Nebr.	15	18	12	26	s. 78 w.	14
Key West, Fla.	31	1	37	6	n. 46 e.	43	Denver, Colo.	16	27	15	16	s. 5 w.	11
Tampa, Fla.	35	4	14	18	n. 7 w.	31	Pueblo, Colo.	30	9	22	22	n. 5 e.	11
Eastern Gulf States.													
Atlanta, Ga.	23	14	12	28	n. 61 w.	18	Concordia, Kans.	22	21	14	17	n. 72 w.	3
Macon, Ga. †	14	7	3	11	n. 49 w.	11	Dodge, Kans.	25	17	19	13	n. 37 e.	10
Pensacola, Fla. †	18	6	10	2	n. 34 e.	14	Wichita, Kans.	28	24	13	6	n. 60 e.	8
Mobile, Ala.	33	15	6	14	n. 24 w.	20	Oklahoma, Okla.	21	28	13	9	s. 30 e.	8
Montgomery, Ala.	21	13	19	17	n. 14 e.	8	Southern Slope.						
Meridian, Miss. †	14	8	7	10	n. 27 w.	7	Abilene, Tex.	17	19	11	15	s. 63 w.	4
Vicksburg, Miss.	24	21	22	11	n. 75 e.	11	Amarillo, Tex.	14	28	14	17	s. 12 w.	14
New Orleans, La.	29	15	21	10	n. 38 e.	18	Southern Plateau.						
Western Gulf States.													
Shreveport, La.	16	25	16	12	s. 24 e.	10	El Paso, Tex.	18	12	18	29	n. 61 w.	12
Fort Smith, Ark.	18	12	28	14	n. 67 e.	15	Santa Fe, N. Mex.	22	20	32	5	n. 86 e.	27
Little Rock, Ark.	25	19	16	21	n. 40 w.	8	Flagstaff, Ariz.	18	9	23	20	n. 18 e.	10
Corpus Christi, Tex.	24	22	19	8	n. 80 e.	11	Phoenix, Ariz.	13	10	32	17	n. 79 e.	15
Fort Worth, Tex. †	9	11	3	13	s. 79 w.	10	Yuma, Ariz.	34	6	21	12	n. 18 e.	29
Galveston, Tex.	19	20	24	10	s. 86 e.	14	Independence, Cal.	19	20	8	30	s. 57 w.	22
Palestine, Tex.	14	30	16	10	s. 21 e.	17	Middle Plateau.						
San Antonio, Tex.	26	16	23	7	n. 61 e.	21	Carson City, Nev.	16	21	14	22	s. 58 w.	9
Ohio Valley and Tennessee.													
Chattanooga, Tenn.	15	22	11	27	s. 66 w.	17	Winnemucca, Nev.	15	19	22	14	s. 63 e.	9
Knoxville, Tenn.	25	20	8	21	n. 69 w.	14	Cedar City, Utah	6	34	26	11	s. 28 e.	32
Memphis, Tenn.	12	22	15	14	s. 6 e.	10	Salt Lake City, Utah	14	23	20	22	s. 13 w.	9
Nashville, Tenn.	19	21	7	25	s. 84 w.	18	Grand Junction, Colo.	19	20	29	14	s. 86 e.	15
Lexington, Ky. †	6	13	5	12	s. 45 w.	10	Northern Plateau.						
Louisville, Ky.	18	21	6	24	s. 81 w.	18	Baker City, Oreg.	6	42	11	9	s. 3 e.	36
Evanston, Ind. †	9	13	3	12	s. 66 w.	10	Boise, Idaho	17	18	30	19	s. 45 e.	1
Indianapolis, Ind.	22	22	6	22	w.	16	Lewiston, Idaho †	6	2	18	7	n. 70 e.	12
Cincinnati, Ohio	15	22	15	23	s. 49 w.	11	Pocatello, Idaho	16	26	11	18	s. 35 w.	12
Columbus, Ohio	13	22	8	28	s. 66 w.	22	Spokane, Wash.	24	15	23	12	n. 51 e.	14
Pittsburg, Pa.	19	30	7	33	s. 88 w.	26	Walla Walla, Wash.	7	27	8	17	s. 24 w.	22
Parkersburg, W. Va.	17	27	8	21	s. 52 w.	16	North Pacific Coast Region.						
Elkins, W. Va.	15	21	5	25	s. 73 w.	21	Neah Bay, Wash.	1	15	34	16	s. 52 e.	23
Lower Lake Region.													
Buffalo, N. Y.	13	15	8	33	s. 85 w.	25	Port Crescent, Wash. †	0	9	19	8	s. 51 e.	14
Oswego, N. Y.	13	27	14	21	s. 16 w.	15	Seattle, Wash.	21	24	20	8	s. 76 e.	12
Rochester, N. Y.	9	30	9	32	s. 48 w.	31	Tacoma, Wash.	14	27	12	16	s. 17 w.	14
Erie, Pa.	12	26	5	31	s. 62 w.	30	Astoria, Oreg.	11	16	33	11	s. 77 e.	23
Cleveland, Ohio	8	34	14	31	s. 15 w.	27	Portland, Oreg.	15	21	17	20	s. 27 w.	7
Sandusky, Ohio	9	24	6	38	s. 65 w.	35	Roseburg, Oreg.	17	17	16	22	w.	6
Toledo, Ohio	10	27	7	30	s. 54 w.	29	Middle Pacific Coast Region.						
Detroit, Mich.	10	20	4	40	s. 74 w.	37	Eureka, Cal.	14	25	14	22	s. 36 w.	14
Upper Lake Region.													
Alpena, Mich.	25	9	11	30	n. 50 w.	25	Mount Tamalpais, Cal.	17	13	22	20	n. 18 e.	6
Escanaba, Mich.	19	14	5	35	n. 81 w.	30	Red Bluff, Cal.	33	11	16	14	n. 5 e.	22
Grand Haven, Mich.	25	13	13	25	n. 45 w.	17	Sacramento, Cal.	23	26	14	11	s. 45 e.	4
Houghton, Mich. †	14	5	9	11	n. 13 w.	9	San Francisco, Cal.	24	10	3	33	n. 64 w.	32
Marquette, Mich.	21	13	8	35	n. 73 w.	28	South Pacific Coast Region.						
Port Huron, Mich.	13	23	5	34	s. 69 w.	31	Fresno, Cal.	23	13	11	30	n. 62 w.	22
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.	21	13	24	17	n. 41 e.	11	Los Angeles, Cal.	23	7	15	27	n. 37 w.	20
Chicago, Ill.	24	14	8	51	n. 69 w.	25	San Diego, Cal.	34	8	13	19	n. 13 w.	27
Milwaukee, Wis.	21	10	6	37	n. 70 w.	33	San Luis Obispo, Cal.	37	12	1	12	n. 24 w.	27
Green Bay, Wis.	17	17	2	34	w.	32	West Indies.						
Duluth, Minn.	26	14	5	35	n. 68 w.	32	Basseterre, St. Kitts Island	24	5	42	2	n. 65 e.	44
North Dakota.													
Moorhead, Minn.	21	16	14	27	n. 60 w.	14	Bridgetown, Barbados	5	14	50	1	s. 80 e.	50
Bismarck, N. Dak.	29	7	16	19	n. 8 w.	22	Cienfuegos, Cuba	41	1	38	1	n. 48 e.	54
Williston, N. Dak.	24	12	6	24	n. 56 w.	22	Grand Turk, Turks Island, W. I.	10	7	21	1	n. 81 e.	20
Upper Mississippi Valley.													
St. Paul, Minn.	20	20	8	29	w.	21	Havana, Cuba	19	4	42	4	n. 69 e.	41
							Kingston, Jamaica	48	0	24	1	n. 26 e.	53
							Port of Spain, Trinidad	15	12	38	4	n. 85 e.	34
							Puerto Principe, Cuba	40	2	39	1	n. 45 e.	54
							Roseau, Dominica, W. I.	20	7	36	11	n. 63 e.	28
							San Juan, Porto Rico	9	21	39	5	s. 71 e.	36
							Santiago de Cuba, Cuba	35	10	30	1	n. 49 e.	38
							Santo Domingo, S. Domingo, W. I.	52	3	3	2	n. 1 e.	49
							Willemstad, Curacao	9	4	54	0	n. 86 e.	54

* From observations at 5 p. m. only.

TABLE VII.—Thunderstorms and auroras, November, 1900.

States.	No. of stations.																																Total.		T. A.	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No.	Days.		
Alabama.....	52	T. A.																	1	5	3	2			3								14	5	T. A.	
Arizona.....	56	T. A.																1	4	5	1												11	4	T. A.	
Arkansas.....	57	T. A.						1		1								5	6	10	2	4	15	6	2								52	10	T. A.	
California.....	167	T. A.					9										5	5		1	1	2											23	6	T. A.	
Colorado.....	81	T. A.																			1												1	3	T. A.	
Connecticut.....	21	T. A.					1	10	7				1					1				1				1	1						21	6	T. A.	
Delaware.....	5	T. A.																								1							1	0	T. A.	
Dist. of Columbia	4	T. A.							1																								1	0	T. A.	
Florida.....	47	T. A.	2	2	1			1					1						1								1						9	7	T. A.	
Georgia.....	55	T. A.																			1				1	2							4	3	T. A.	
Idaho.....	34	T. A.																	2			1											3	0	T. A.	
Illinois.....	92	T. A.															2	23	25	17	21	6	6	4	1								105	9	T. A.	
Indiana.....	58	T. A.															1	6	1		8	7	8	4	1								36	8	T. A.	
Indian Territory.	11	T. A.																	6														6	0	T. A.	
Iowa.....	149	T. A.																	2	9	2												13	0	T. A.	
Kansas.....	77	T. A.															1		12		7		1	11									32	5	T. A.	
Kentucky.....	41	T. A.							1											14	4	10	9	9	1								48	7	T. A.	
Louisiana.....	46	T. A.																	1	4	4			1	6	1							17	6	T. A.	
Maine.....	19	T. A.						1	7	8				1								1											18	5	T. A.	
Maryland.....	48	T. A.						10	4											2			2		6	3							27	6	T. A.	
Massachusetts.....	48	T. A.						2	25	20						2							2		2								53	1	T. A.	
Michigan.....	106	T. A.	1			1												1	4	3	9	14											33	7	T. A.	
Minnesota.....	67	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
Mississippi.....	44	T. A.																		10	4	1		2	1	1							19	2	T. A.	
Missouri.....	95	T. A.						1			1						3	2	23	11	11	1	4	18	6	1		1					83	13	T. A.	
Montana.....	40	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
Nebraska.....	142	T. A.														1		1															1	1	T. A.	
Nevada.....	40	T. A.																	1														3	3	T. A.	
New Hampshire.....	19	T. A.							1	13	11												1	3									29	5	T. A.	
New Jersey.....	51	T. A.							10	9																11	2						32	4	T. A.	
New Mexico.....	31	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
New York.....	99	T. A.				4		3	5	6										1	11	25	2			1				1			59	10	T. A.	
North Carolina.....	56	T. A.			2			3	9											1	2		1	1	9	3							31	9	T. A.	
North Dakota.....	48	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
Ohio.....	128	T. A.						1											1		1	5	19	8	1								36	7	T. A.	
Oklahoma.....	23	T. A.																	4	1	1												6	3	T. A.	
Oregon.....	74	T. A.																	1															1	0	T. A.
Pennsylvania.....	91	T. A.						1	1												1	6	6	2	5	4							26	8	T. A.	
Rhode Island.....	7	T. A.								2	2														1									5	3	T. A.
South Carolina.....	46	T. A.			1	1																				4							6	3	T. A.	
South Dakota.....	56	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
Tennessee.....	56	T. A.																																1	1	T. A.
Texas.....	95	T. A.	1							1									5	3	1			8	3								22	7	T. A.	
Utah.....	47	T. A.																4	1	3			1										9	4	T. A.	
Vermont.....	16	T. A.								5	5					1								1	1								13	5	T. A.	
Virginia.....	50	T. A.							2	7		1												1	4	3	3							21	7	T. A.
Washington.....	64	T. A.																	2														2	0	T. A.	
West Virginia.....	43	T. A.				1														1				8	1	2							13	3	T. A.	
Wisconsin.....	60	T. A.								1								1	1								1							3	2	T. A.
Wyoming.....	31	T. A.																																0	0	T. A.
Sums.....	2,893	T. A.	4	2	2	3	6	0	37	99	71	2	0	0	1	1	4	12	48	107	72	115	65	86	114	50	55	18	1	0	1	0	976	17	T. A.	

TABLE VIII.—Average hourly sunshine (in percentages), November, 1900.

Stations.	Instrument.	Percentages for each hour of local mean time ending with the respective hour.																Hours of sunshine.			
		A. M.								P. M.								Total.			Personal estimate.
		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Noon	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Actual.	Possible.	Percent of possible.	
Albany, N. Y.	T.			6	7	16	22	37	30	40	30	29	19	13				Hours.	Hours		
Atlanta, Ga.	T.			44	43	47	51	58	57	62	64	58	58	44	33			68.5	292.3	23	2
Atlantic City, N. J.	T.			40	31	39	46	53	60	58	50	45	33	30				167.8	312.2	54	4
Baltimore, Md.	T.			36	27	37	37	46	44	51	55	65	44	40				134.7	301.5	45	4
Binghamton, N. Y.	T.			8	10	12	13	17	20	23	18	20	22	26				134.2	301.5	45	4
Bismarck, N. Dak.	P.			47	45	55	58	66	70	48	68	64	54	53				51.9	294.9	18	10
Boise, Idaho.	P.			72	41	46	48	55	54	52	57	53	50	51				164.5	281.0	59	5
Boston, Mass.	T.			30	29	37	36	47	45	51	46	42	40	33				147.7	289.7	51	4
Buffalo, N. Y.	T.			16	9	20	31	33	41	44	34	26	23	11				119.6	294.9	41	3
Cedar City, Utah.	T.			65	60	62	73	74	78	72	74	61	52	44	100			81.1	292.3	28	1
Charleston, S. C.	T.			43	49	58	60	57	55	68	65	58	43	35	25			198.8	304.0	65	5
Chattanooga, Tenn.	T.			39	33	39	55	60	66	68	63	62	55	52	50			170.3	314.0	54	5
Cheyenne, Wyo.	P.			77	56	56	63	64	61	66	68	67	66	61				169.5	310.1	55	5
Chicago, Ill.	T.			42	30	32	38	44	52	50	46	36	34	35				187.4	297.3	63	57
Cincinnati, Ohio.	T.			38	33	34	42	48	54	54	52	45	39	36				117.7	294.9	40	39
Cleveland, Ohio.	T.			13	14	16	27	29	33	30	33	27	27	31				132.3	301.5	44	44
Columbia, Mo.	T.			52	62	69	68	74	75	76	74	69	58	54				78.0	294.9	26	30
Columbus, Ohio.	T.																	204.8	301.5	68	48
Denver, Colo.	P.			76	63	70	75	78	83	76	75	74	78	69				222.8	299.7	74	61
Des Moines, Iowa.	T.			49	31	37	40	47	46	42	42	40	31	31				115.4	294.9	39	33
Detroit, Mich.	P.			21	17	26	31	34	33	34	32	22	19	19				78.8	294.9	27	25
Dodge, Kans.	P.			52	49	60	74	75	74	73	72	72	67	70	0			206.9	304.0	68	58
Dubuque, Iowa.	T.			43	35	44	49	54	58	59	49	41	37	40				137.3	294.9	47	41
Eastport, Me.	P.			17	11	17	25	29	34	41	42	43	34	32				88.9	287.2	31	24
Elkins, W. Va.	T.			4	3	11	21	30	34	44	47	47	25	16				82.9	301.5	27	28
Erie, Pa.	T.			28	10	8	14	16	16	22	21	21	11	13				45.9	294.9	16	21
Escanaba, Mich.	T.			35	22	18	13	20	21	26	22	16	8	4				50.5	284.1	18	17
Eureka, Cal.	P.			17	18	30	39	39	42	43	37	36	21	15				95.7	297.3	32	35
Fresno, Cal.	T.			30	20	37	41	48	50	53	50	44	37	29	100			131.7	305.7	40	37
Galveston, Tex.	P.																				
Grand Junction, Colo.	P.			79	63	62	64	67	64	64	71	74	67	65				200.7	301.5	67	57
Harrisburg, Pa.	T.			15	11	18	31	36	39	48	41	43	35	39				100.3	299.7	33	33
Helena, Mont.	P.			35	26	37	47	49	60	61	68	57	42	36				138.8	281.0	49	42
Huron, S. Dak.	T.			64	49	43	51	57	58	59	59	53	48	52				154.2	289.7	53	45
Indianapolis, Ind.	T.			36	27	29	38	44	50	55	46	38	30	31				116.8	299.7	39	30
Jacksonville, Fla.	T.			74	69	70	79	85	88	85	79	77	71	59	48			242.4	319.7	76	58
Jupiter, Fla.	T.			37	55	70	82	89	88	78	77	71	56	27	37			215.1	325.0	66	51
Kalispell, Mont.	T.			2	18	26	27	28	39	40	39	29	16	14				79.0	278.0	28	29
Kansas City, Mo.	P.			68	56	54	56	62	58	58	54	54	58	69				174.9	301.5	58	55
Knoxville, Tenn.	T.			29	31	43	55	54	59	55	59	53	44	47	15			151.6	308.3	49	44
Lexington, Ky.	T.			35	35	47	55	65	63	58	62	60	50	45	100			162.9	304.0	54	50
Little Rock, Ark.	T.			46	42	59	64	61	62	62	61	66	61	64	75			184.6	310.1	60	50
Los Angeles, Cal.	P.			61	64	71	77	78	79	81	84	83	81	76	100			239.2	312.2	77	63
Louisville, Ky.	T.			59	55	58	59	62	58	59	61	59	46	49	100			172.7	304.0	57	53
Macon, Ga.	T.			39	37	45	51	62	66	72	73	66	62	50	38			181.1	314.0	58	51
Meridian, Miss.	T.			56	53	58	59	63	65	60	63	65	54	50	67			184.7	315.9	58	55
Mount Tamalpais, Cal.	P.			64	46	46	52	51	50	49	48	59	59	49	100			155.9	304.0	51	52
Nashville, Tenn.	T.			47	44	59	65	67	74	75	72	72	60	58	100			197.5	308.3	64	59
New Haven, Conn.	T.			28	23	36	40	47	52	57	53	50	36	18				123.9	297.3	42	40
New Orleans, La.	T.			31	31	54	68	73	68	75	71	63	60	40	36			187.1	319.7	59	56
New York, N. Y.	T.			33	25	28	38	52	54	57	56	49	38	33				128.4	297.3	43	33
Norfolk, Va.	T.			46	49	59	61	68	76	78	76	64	55	45	0			191.9	306.7	63	54
Northfield, Vt.	P.			17	23	23	34	33	39	40	37	32	21	18				88.4	289.7	31	19
Oklahoma, Okla.	T.			39	35	56	68	70	73	76	73	69	56	57	100			133.5	310.1	62	61
Omaha, Nebr.	T.			45	40	45	47	53	58	57	60	59	53	56				156.1	297.3	53	46
Parkersburg, W. Va.	T.			6	5	10	18	34	36	33	37	30	20	14				70.7	301.5	23	21
Philadelphia, Pa.	T.			33	30	38	45	63	72	66	56	52	49	46				153.7	299.7	51	53
Phoenix, Ariz.	P.			76	76	77	81	87	85	80	79	75	74	71	94			245.8	314.0	78	73
Pittsburg, Pa.	P.			32	17	18	18	39	40	43	47	38	22	25				92.4	297.3	31	34
Pocatello, Idaho.	T.			58	34	41	49	57	64	61	57	46	42	45				146.4	292.3	50	38
Portland, Me.	T.			14	21	35	42	51	55	56	58	58	56	22				124.8	289.7	43	33
Portland, Oreg.	T.			17	22	20	35	34	37	48	48	36	30	24				90.3	284.1	32	36
Pueblo, Colo.	T.			63	58	74	88	92	94	93	92	94	83	74				254.9	304.0	84	65
Raleigh, N. C.	T.			45	47	49	64	70	63	58	57	52	45	43	5			168.3	308.3	55	54
Rochester, N. Y.	T.			26	11	15	30	24	24	22	21	24	16	4				55.1	292.3	19	16
St. Louis, Mo.	T.			47	41	51	60	69	72	73	65	62	45	46				175.9	301.5	58	52
St. Paul, Minn.	P.			28	22	28															

TABLE IX.—Accumulated amounts of precipitation for each 5 minutes, for storms in which the rate of fall equaled or exceeded 0.25 in any 5 minutes, or 0.75 in 1 hour during November, 1900, at all stations furnished with self-registering gages.

Stations.	Date.	Total duration.		Total amt of precipi- tation.	Excessive rate.		Amount be- fore exces- sive began	Depths of precipitation (in inches) during periods of time indicated.													
		From—	To—		Began—	Ended—		5 min.	10 min.	15 min.	20 min.	25 min.	30 min.	35 min.	40 min.	45 min.	50 min.	60 min.	80 min.	100 min.	120 min.
Albany, N. Y.	1 9			1.60														0.23			
Alpena, Mich.	30-21			0.78														*			
Atlanta, Ga.	25	8.12 a.m.	12.55 a.m.	1.64	8.35 a.m.	9.35 a.m.	0.10	0.09	0.22	0.28	0.38	0.44	0.49	0.60	0.80	0.92	1.01	1.16			
Atlantic City, N. J.	25-26			1.10														0.85			
Baltimore, Md.	25-26			0.47														0.30			
Binghamton, N. Y.	24-26			1.93														0.32			
Bismarck, N. Dak.	19-20			0.52																	
Boise, Idaho	18			0.13														0.12			
Boston, Mass.	25-26			2.63														0.26			
Buffalo, N. Y.	11-12			0.67														0.21			
Cairo, Ill.	30			1.05														0.74			
Cedar City, Utah	26			0.16														*			
Charleston, S. C.	3	6.10 a.m.	12.38 p.m.	3.45	8.55 a.m.	9.43 a.m.	0.24	0.08	0.21	0.34	0.56	0.71	0.93	1.24	1.52	1.92	2.01	2.02			
Chicago, Ill.	18-19			1.56														*			
Cincinnati, Ohio	30			1.52														*			
Cleveland, Ohio	24-25			1.07														0.13			
Columbia, Mo.	23			0.33														0.12			
Columbus, Ohio	24-25			1.28														0.33			
Denver, Colo.	27			0.36														*			
Des Moines, Iowa	18			0.24														0.09			
Detroit, Mich.	18-19			1.65														0.21			
Dodge, Kans.	27			0.05														0.04			
Duluth, Minn.	19-20			0.12														*			
Eastport, Me.	26-27			0.95														0.16			
Elkins, W. Va.	25-26			3.15														0.39			
Erie, Pa.	24-26			2.54														*			
Escanaba, Mich.	1			0.85														0.22			
Evansville, Ind.	30	D. N.	7.55 a.m.	1.06	5.00 a.m.	5.25 a.m.	0.56	0.11	0.28	0.44	0.52	0.59	0.63	0.66				*			
Fort Worth, Tex.	30			0.40														0.28			
Fresno, Cal.	16-17			3.18														*			
Galveston, Tex.	29			1.26														*			
Grand Junction, Colo.	19-20			0.21														*			
Harrisburg, Pa.	24-26			1.87														*			
Hatteras, N. C.	3-4			2.02														0.36			
Huron, S. Dak.	15-16			0.04														0.36			
Indianapolis, Ind.	19			0.79														*			
Jacksonville, Fla.	17			0.77														0.32			
Jupiter, Fla.	12			0.48														0.28			
Kalispell, Mont.	17-18			0.66								0.47						*			
Kansas City, Mo.	23-24			0.61														*			
Key West, Fla.	4			0.20														0.87			
Knoxville, Tenn.	24-25			3.57							0.30							0.80			
Lexington, Ky.	30-21			3.12														*			
Lincoln, Nebr.	2			0.01														*			
Little Rock, Ark.	23-24	7.40 p.m.	10.55 a.m.	2.43	9.15 p.m.	10.55 p.m.	0.08	0.12	0.24	0.34	0.43	0.45	0.46	0.48	0.52	0.62	0.75	0.87	0.97	1.42	1.00
Los Angeles, Cal.	30-22			3.84														0.60			
Louisville, Ky.	30			2.33														0.76			
Macon, Ga.	1-2	12.41 p.m.	6.12 a.m.	2.25	1.35 p.m.	3.35 p.m.	0.16	0.05	0.10	0.17	0.23	0.30	0.35	0.42	0.48	0.54	0.61	0.76	0.95	1.22	1.49
Do	25	10.15 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	1.02	12.45 p.m.	12.57 p.m.	0.24	0.05	0.53	0.66								0.90			
Memphis, Tenn.	19-20			2.84														*			
Meridian, Miss.	19-20	6.31 p.m.	D. N.	1.48	7.30 p.m.	8.00 p.m.	T.	0.05	0.11	0.20	0.31	0.51	0.75	1.10	1.22	1.34		0.30			
Milwaukee, Wis.	17-19			1.40														*			
Montgomery, Ala.	1	11.03 a.m.	1.38 p.m.	2.33	11.45 a.m.	1.05 p.m.	0.33	0.14	0.46	0.78	0.87	0.96	1.08	1.20	1.25	1.38	1.48	1.53	1.95		
Nantucket, Mass.	8-9			1.24														0.60			
Nashville, Tenn.	30-21	5.25 a.m.	3.00 a.m.	6.05	12.18 a.m.	12.32 a.m.	2.90	0.44	0.89	1.26	1.28	1.32						1.10	1.60	1.75	
New Haven, Conn.	25-26			1.76	1.00 a.m.	2.30 a.m.	4.30	0.06	0.16	0.35	0.44	0.53	0.59	0.72	0.82	0.92	0.95	0.24			
New Orleans, La.	24-25			0.54										0.37				*			
New York, N. Y.	25-26			2.19														0.53			
Norfolk, Va.	2-4			2.24														0.31			
Northfield, Vt.	24-25			1.36														*			
Oklahoma, Okla.	18			1.40														*			
Omaha, Nebr.	24			0.07														0.66			
Parkersburg, W. Va.	20			2.31														0.02			
Philadelphia, Pa.	25-26			1.70														0.76			
Pittsburg, Pa.	25-26			2.13														0.74			
Pocatello, Idaho	21			0.48														*			
Portland, Me.	8	9.00 a.m.	10.20 a.m.	1.40	9.05 a.m.	10.00 a.m.	0.02	0.17	0.32	0.46	0.60	0.69	0.83	1.00	1.12	1.20	1.34	1.39	1.55		
Portland, Oreg.	24-25			1.89														0.28			
Pueblo, Colo.	27			0.07														*			
Raleigh, N. C.	2-4			2.76														0.35			
Richmond, Va.	26			0.50														0.43			
Rochester, N. Y.	25-27			1.49														0.17			
St. Louis, Mo.	18-19			1.66														0.52			
St. Paul, Minn.	30-21			0.34														0.13			
Salt Lake City, Utah	16-17			0.58														0.24			
San Diego, Cal.	22			0.52														0.20			
Sandusky, Ohio	24-25			0.79														0.08			
San Francisco, Cal.	16			0.92														0.36			
Savannah, Ga.	3	D. N.	7.10 a.m.	2.40	2.40 a.m.	3.30 a.m.	0.27	0.09	0.12	0.19											

TABLE X.—Data furnished by the Canadian Meteorological Service, November, 1900.

Stations.	Pressure.			Temperature.				Precipitation.			
	Mean not reduced.	Mean reduced.	Departure from normal.	Mean.	Departure from normal.	Mean max. num.	Mean min. num.	Total.	Departure from normal.	Depth of snow.	
St. John's, N. F.	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	°	°	°	°	Ins.	Ins.	Ins.	
Sydney, C. B. I.	29.75	29.00	+.03	38.3	+	1.6	44.9	31.8	5.62	+0.06	4.0
Halifax, N. S.	29.94	29.98	+.02	40.3	+	3.2	47.6	33.0	8.97	+2.66	8.7
Grand Manan, N. B. ..	29.50	30.00	-.04	41.5	+	4.2	48.6	34.5	6.87	+1.65	4.9
Yarmouth, N. S.	29.94	29.99	+.04	40.1	+	1.2	47.3	32.9	6.80	+2.37	6.0
Charlottetown, P. E. I. .	29.92	30.00	-.04	42.6	+	2.7	49.2	35.9	4.89	+1.95	2.6
Chatham, N. B.	29.90	29.97	-.05	38.5	+	3.0	44.5	32.4	6.80	+3.07	14.1
Father Point, Que.	29.94	29.96	-.02	33.2	+	2.2	40.8	25.6	3.23	-.09	11.5
Quebec, Que.	29.91	29.94	-.02	28.8	+	1.1	36.5	21.2	2.97	-.51	10.7
Montreal, Que.	29.63	29.97	-.04	30.4	+	1.4	35.9	24.9	4.80	-.78	13.2
Bisset, Ont.	29.77	29.99	-.08	33.0	+	1.2	38.3	27.7	7.65	+4.48	34.8
Ottawa, Ont.	29.70	30.02	+.02	27.9	+	0.7	36.0	19.8	2.31	-.34	7.3
Kingston, Ont.	29.62	29.95	-.05	33.3	+	1.6	39.4	27.2	3.50	.....	11.0
Battleford, Sask.	29.67	29.99	-.05	36.7	+	1.7	43.2	30.2	3.70	+.28	10.8
Kamloops, B. C.	29.62	30.01	-.04	38.6	+	3.0	44.8	32.5	3.90	-.95	8.7
Victoria, B. C.	28.65	30.07	+.03	30.9	+	4.0	28.5	13.4	2.14	+.25	12.4
White River, Ont.	29.37	30.02	-.08	39.4	+	2.6	46.1	32.7	4.45	+1.30	8.8
Port Stanley, Ont.	29.29	30.02	.00	38.3	+	3.3	44.6	32.0	6.19	+2.29	18.5
Saugeen, Ont.	29.75	29.00	+.03	38.3	+	1.6	44.9	31.8	5.62	+0.06	4.0
Winnipeg, Man.	29.94	29.98	+.02	40.3	+	3.2	47.6	33.0	8.97	+2.66	8.7
Minnedosa, Man.	29.94	29.99	+.04	40.1	+	1.2	47.3	32.9	6.80	+2.37	6.0
Qu'Appelle, Assin.	29.92	30.00	-.04	42.6	+	2.7	49.2	35.9	4.89	+1.95	2.6
Medicine Hat, Assin. .	29.90	29.97	-.05	38.5	+	3.0	44.5	32.4	6.80	+3.07	14.1
Swift Current, Assin. .	29.94	29.96	-.02	33.2	+	2.2	40.8	25.6	3.23	-.09	11.5
Calgary, Alberta	29.91	29.94	-.02	28.8	+	1.1	36.5	21.2	2.97	-.51	10.7
Banff, Alberta	29.63	29.97	-.04	30.4	+	1.4	35.9	24.9	4.80	-.78	13.2
Edmonton, Alberta .	29.77	29.99	-.08	33.0	+	1.2	38.3	27.7	7.65	+4.48	34.8
Prince Albert, Sask. .	29.70	30.02	+.02	27.9	+	0.7	36.0	19.8	2.31	-.34	7.3
Battleford, Sask.	29.62	29.95	-.05	33.3	+	1.6	39.4	27.2	3.50	.....	11.0
Kamloops, B. C.	29.67	29.99	-.05	36.7	+	1.7	43.2	30.2	3.70	+.28	10.8
Victoria, B. C.	28.62	30.04	+.03	30.9	+	4.0	28.5	13.4	2.14	+.25	12.4
Barkerville, N. W. T. .	29.37	30.02	-.08	39.4	+	2.6	46.1	32.7	4.45	+1.30	8.8
Hamilton, Bermuda. .	29.96	30.12	+.07	69.4	+	0.7	73.9	64.8	3.97	-0.23	

TABLE XI.—Heights of rivers referred to zeros of gages, November, 1900.

Stations.	Distance to mouth of river.	Danger line on gage.	Highest water.		Lowest water.		Mean stage.	Monthly range.	Stations.	Distance to mouth of river.	Danger line on gage.	Highest water.		Lowest water.		Mean stage.	Monthly range.				
			Height.	Date.	Height.	Date.						Height.	Date.	Height.	Date.						
Mississippi River.									Tennessee River—Cont'd.												
St. Paul, Minn.....	1,954	14	4.6	5-7	1.3	23	3.2	3.3	Riverton, Ala.....	140	25	14.0	30	0.0	19	2.3	14.0				
Reeds Landing, Minn.....	1,884	12	6.4	6	1.9	30	3.9	4.5	Johnsonton, Tenn.....	94	21	13.5	30	1.8	20	5.0	11.7				
La Crosse, Wis.....	1,819	12	8.8	4, 5	3.5	30	6.4	5.3	Cumberland River.												
Prairie du Chien, Wis.....	1,759	18	11.2	12	4.6	30	8.3	6.6	Burnside, Ky.....	434	50	46.1	26	0.0	1-3	8.9	46.1				
Dubuque, Iowa.....	1,699	15	11.3	13	4.6	30	8.5	6.7	Carthage, Tenn.....	257	40	31.8	29	0.3	16	7.9	31.5				
Leclaire, Iowa.....	1,609	10	7.1	15, 16	3.3	30	5.6	3.8	Nashville, Tenn.....	175	40	33.1	30	0.9	17, 18	9.5	32.2				
Davenport, Iowa.....	1,593	15	8.8	15	4.1	30	6.8	4.7	Arkansas River.												
Muscatine, Iowa.....	1,562	16	10.2	16	5.6	30	8.2	4.6	Wichita, Kans.....	726	10	2.6	1	1.7	28-30	1.9	0.9				
Galland, Iowa.....	1,472	8	5.2	19	2.6	30	4.2	2.6	Webbers Falls, Ind. T....	413	23	11.3	7	3.2	18	6.3	8.1				
Keokuk, Iowa.....	1,463	15	8.6	19	4.5	30	7.2	4.1	Fort Smith, Ark.....	351	42	11.7	7	3.9	19	8.0	7.8				
Hannibal, Mo.....	1,402	13	9.8	20	5.9	30	8.5	3.9	Dardanelle, Ark.....	256	21	13.0	3	3.6	18	8.8	9.4				
Grafton, Ill.....	1,306	23	10.9	1, 21, 22	8.3	30	9.7	2.6	Little Rock, Ark.....	176	23	13.0	25, 26	4.3	1	9.7	8.7				
St. Louis, Mo.....	1,264	30	13.9	8	10.9	30	12.3	3.0	White River.												
Chester, Ill.....	1,189	36	10.1	9	8.5	4, 17, 18	9.1	1.6	Newport, Ark.....	150	26	21.3	27	1.9	18, 19	8.7	19.4				
Memphis, Tenn.....	843	33	19.1	30	5.6	1	8.0	13.5	Yazoo River.												
Helena, Ark.....	767	42	24.6	30	9.4	1	12.1	15.2	Yazoo City, Miss.....	80	25	9.6	1-3	1.4	22	6.5	8.2				
Arkansas City, Ark.....	635	42	24.5	30	9.8	1	13.7	14.7	Red River.												
Greenville, Miss.....	595	42	20.2	30	7.8	1	10.9	12.4	Arthur City, Tex. §.....	688	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vicksburg, Miss.....	474	45	18.0	30	6.7	1	10.0	11.3	Fulton, Ark. †.....	565	28	23.0	4	7.0	20	14.3	16.0				
New Orleans, La.....	108	16	4.7	10-12	3.6	5	4.3	1.1	Shreveport, La.....	449	29	13.8	7	4.1	1	9.0	9.7				
Missouri River.									Alexandria, La.....	139	33	10.7	10, 11	0.4	2	5.9	10.3				
Bismarck, N. Dak.....	1,309	14	3.3	16	1.3	4-8, 22, 23	1.8	2.0	Onachita River.												
Pierre, S. Dak. *.....	1,114	14	2.2	3	1.5	30	1.8	0.7	Camden, Ark.....	340	39	25.9	29	4.8	21	12.4	21.1				
Sioux City, Iowa *.....	784	19	5.5	19	4.2	30	4.9	1.3	Monroe, La.....	100	40	12.0	30	2.6	23	6.1	9.4				
Omaha, Nebr.....	669	18	6.4	1, 2	3.6	29	5.4	2.8	Atchafalaya River.												
St. Joseph, Mo.....	481	10	3.1	2	0.7	30	1.2	3.8	Melville, La.....	100	31	15.6	30	9.3	1	12.8	6.3				
Kansas City, Mo.....	388	21	10.5	4	5.4	30	7.8	5.1	Susquehanna River.												
Boonville, Mo.....	199	30	9.8	5	5.4	30	7.3	4.4	Wilkesbarre, Pa.....	178	14	23.6	28	- 2.2	4-8	1.8	25.8				
Hermann, Mo.....	103	34	9.7	6, 7	5.6	18-21	7.2	4.1	Harrisburg, Pa.....	70	17	13.3	28	0.5	12	2.0	12.8				
Illinois River.									W. Br. of Susquehanna.												
Peoria, Ill.....	135	14	9.5	29, 30	6.7	1, 4-7, 10	7.4	2.8	Williamsport, Pa.....	35	30	17.0	27	0.7	18-20	2.4	16.3				
Youghiogheny River.									Juniata River.												
Confluence, Pa.....	59	10	10.3	26	0.1	6-8	1.7	10.2	Huntingdon, Pa.....	80	24	8.5	26	2.9	1-25	3.3	5.6				
West Newton, Pa.....	15	23	14.7	26	0.0	2	1.8	14.7	Potomac River.												
Allegheny River.									Harpers Ferry, W. Va....	170	16	5.5	28	0.3	1-11, 19-26	0.8	5.2				
Warren, Pa.....	177	14	9.5	26	0.5	1	2.6	9.0	James River.												
Oil City, Pa.....	123	13	10.0	27	0.3	1	2.6	9.7	Lynchburg, Va.....	257	18	15.4	27	0.1	24, 25	1.8	15.3				
Parker, Pa.....	73	30	12.6	27	0.7	1, 2	2.8	11.9	Richmond, Va.....	110	12	11.2	28	- 1.2	16, 17	0.0	12.4				
Monongahela River.									Roanoke River.												
Weston, W. Va.....	161	18	12.3	26	- 0.6	18-20	0.7	12.9	Weldon, N. C.....	90	40	13.4	29	7.8	18-22	8.5	5.6				
Fairmont, W. Va.....	119	25	23.9	26	0.6	4-7, 18-20	2.7	23.3	Cape Fear River.												
Greensboro, Pa.....	81	18	27.4	26	6.3	5-7	8.5	21.1	Fayetteville, N. C.....	100	38	12.5	5	0.5	2	2.8	12.0				
Lock No. 4, Pa.....	40	28	33.8	27	7.4	5, 6	10.4	26.4	Pedee River.												
Conemaugh River.									Cheraw, S. C.....	145	27	16.4	28	0.9	15	2.7	15.5				
Johnstown, Pa.....	64	7	10.0	26	0.7	3-5, 7	1.9	9.3	Black River.												
Red Bank Creek.									Kingstree, S. C.....	60	12	2.1	7-9	0.5	1-4	1.2	1.6				
Brookville, Pa.....	35	8	6.2	26	0.2	(1-8, 11-14, 16, 17)	1.0	0.0	Lynch Creek.												
Beaver River.									Effingham, S. C.....	35	12	7.4	12	2.9	4, 5	4.1	4.5				
Ellwood Junction, Pa.....	10	14	4.3	27	0.3	1-18	1.1	4.0	Santee River.												
Great Kanawha River.									St. Stephens, S. C.....	50	12	7.4	10-12	1.9	22	4.2	5.5				
Charleston, W. Va.....	61	30	31.0	27	6.7	3, 4, 17-20	8.5	24.3	Congaree River.												
Little Kanawha River.									Columbia, S. C.....	37	15	4.0	5	- 0.1	16	0.6	4.1				
Glenville, W. Va.....	100	24	14.8	26	- 2.0	2, 3, 16-19	0.2	16.8	Waterlee River.												
New River.									Camden, S. C.....	45	24	23.5	5	2.9	19	6.5	20.6				
Hinton, W. Va.....	95	14	11.5	27	1.5	19, 20	2.5	10.0	Waccamaw River.												
Cheat River.									Conway, S. C.....	40	7	2.9	7, 8	0.4	21, 22	1.7	2.5				
Rowlesburg, W. Va.....	36	14	11.0	26	1.0	2-7	2.5	10.0	Savannah River.												
Ohio River.									Calhoun Falls, S. C.....	347	.....	4.3	4	2.6	16-19, 24, 25	3.1	1.7			
Pittsburg, Pa.....	966	22	27.7	27	5.1	1	8.1	22.6	Augusta, Ga.....	298	32	14.2	27	6.5	19	8.3	7.7				
Davis Island Dam, Pa.....	960	25	25.6	27	2.2	2, 3	5.8	23.4	Broad River.												
Wheeling, W. Va.....	875	36	34.3	28	1.6	4, 5	6.4	32.7	Carlton, Ga.....	30	.....	6.5	3	2.3	13-18, 25	2.7	4.2			
Parkersburg, W. Va.....	785	36	30.0	29	2.3	6, 7	6.6	27.7	Elm River.												
Point Pleasant, W. Va.....	703	39	31.6	29	2.2	17-19	7.4	32.4	Albany, Ga.....	80	30	5.6	3	0.9	18-20	2.6	4.7				
Huntington, W. Va.....	660	50	37.7	29	4.5	14	10.2	33.2	Chattahoochee River.												
Catlettsburg, Ky.....	651	50	38.7	29	2.5	2, 5, 6	8.9	36.2	Westpoint, Ga.....	239	20	5.0	29	2.6	21	3.8	2.4				
Portsmouth, Ohio.....	612	50	38.9	30	3.2	1	9.6	35.7	Ocmulgee River.												
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	499	50	39.0	30	4.7	17	10.3	34.3	Macon, Ga.....	125	20	12.3	4	2.0	20	3.4	10.3				
Madison, Ind.....	413	46	33.5	30	4.6	9, 18-20	9.5	28.9	Oconee River.												
Louisville, Ky.....	367	28	14.4	30	2.8	19	5.1	11.6	Dublin, Ga.....	60	30	6.6	7	0.7	18, 20, 21, 25	2.3	5.9				
Evansville, Ind.....	184	35	28.3	30	2.0	1	7.5	25.3	Cocum River.												
Paducah, Ky.....	47	40	24.7	30	2.1	18, 19	7.3	22.6	Rome, Ga.....	225	30	11.5	27	1.4	18, 19	3.0	10.1				
Calro, Ill.....	1,073	45	28.7	30	11.5	18-20	15.5	17.2	Gadsden, Ala.....	144	18	12.4	28	0.5	13-19	2.7	11.9				
Muskingum River.									Alabama River.												
Zanesville, Ohio.....	70	30	12.0	27, 28	6.4	8, 9	7.5	5.6	Montgomery, Ala.....	265	35	13.4	27-29	1.7	21	6.0	11.7				
Scioto River.									Selma, Ala. †.....	212	35	17.0	30	1.0	18-21	5.4	16.0				
Columbus, Ohio.....	110	17	4.0	27	2.0	1-19, 22-25	2.3	2.0	Tombigbee River.												
Miami River.									Columbus, Miss.....	303	33	5.5	3	- 1.6	18-21	1.1	7.1				
Dayton, Ohio.....	60	18	3.6	26	0.8	11, 12, 16-18	1.4	2.8	Demopolis, Ala.....	155	35	16.6	30	1.2	19	6.8	15.4				
Wabash River.									Black Warrior River.												
Mount Carmel, Ill.....	50	15	9.7	28, 29	1.2	1	4.0	8.5	Tuscaloosa, Ala.....	139	43	22.2	27	1.9	19	7.0	20.3				
Licking River.									Braxos River.												
Falmouth, Ky.....	30	25	15.8	26	0.3																

Chart I. Tracks of Centers of High Areas. November, 1900.

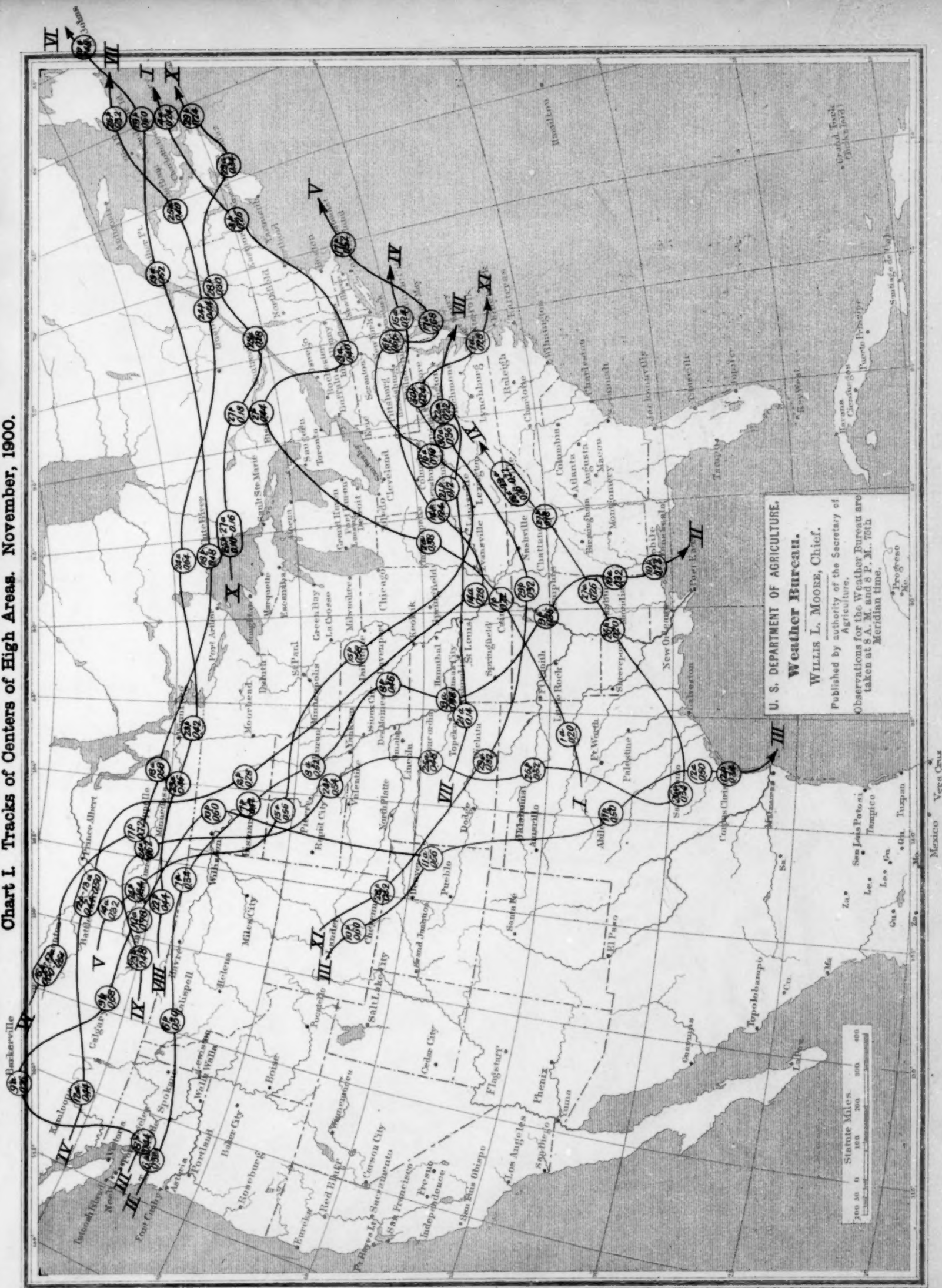


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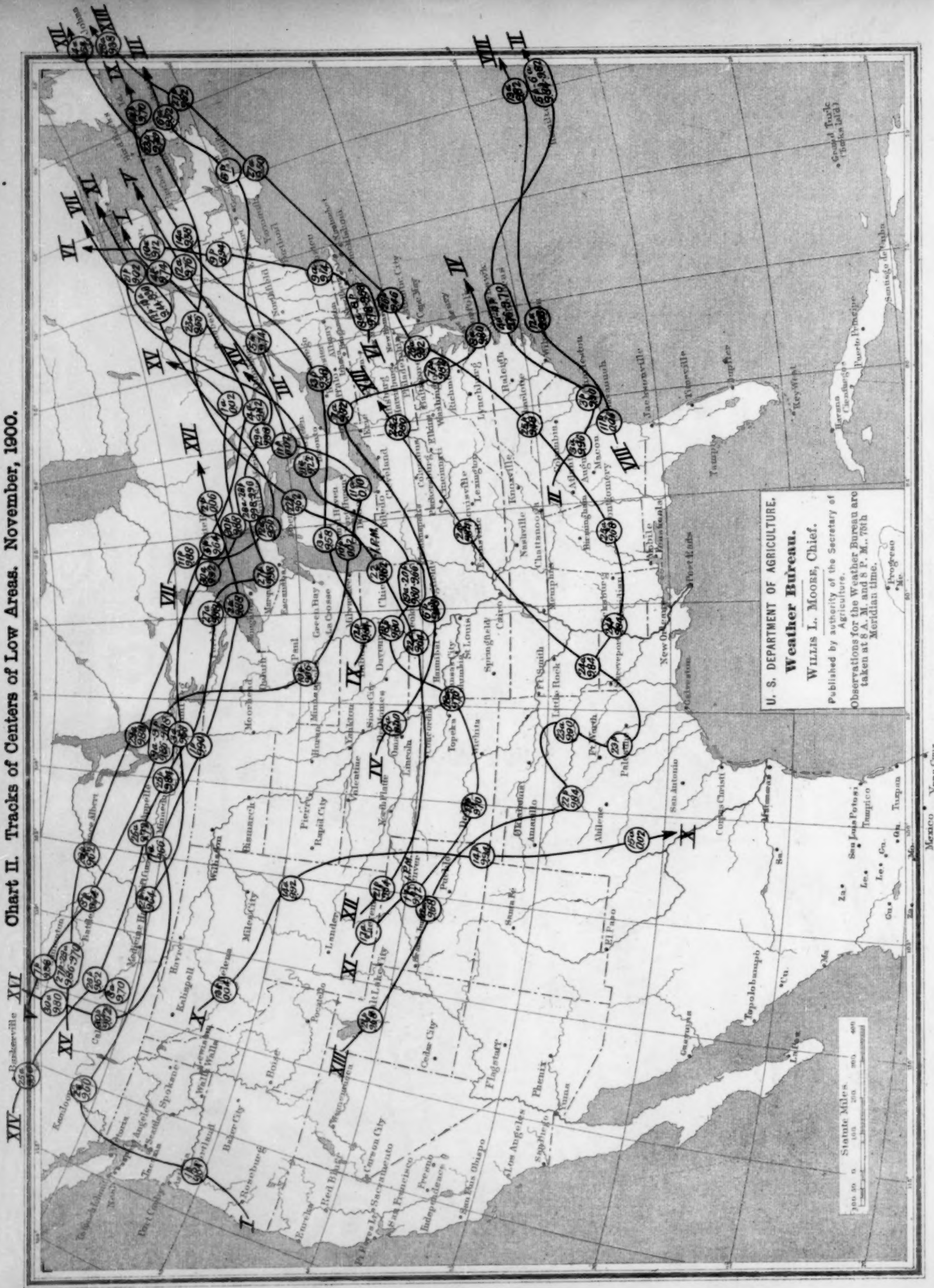


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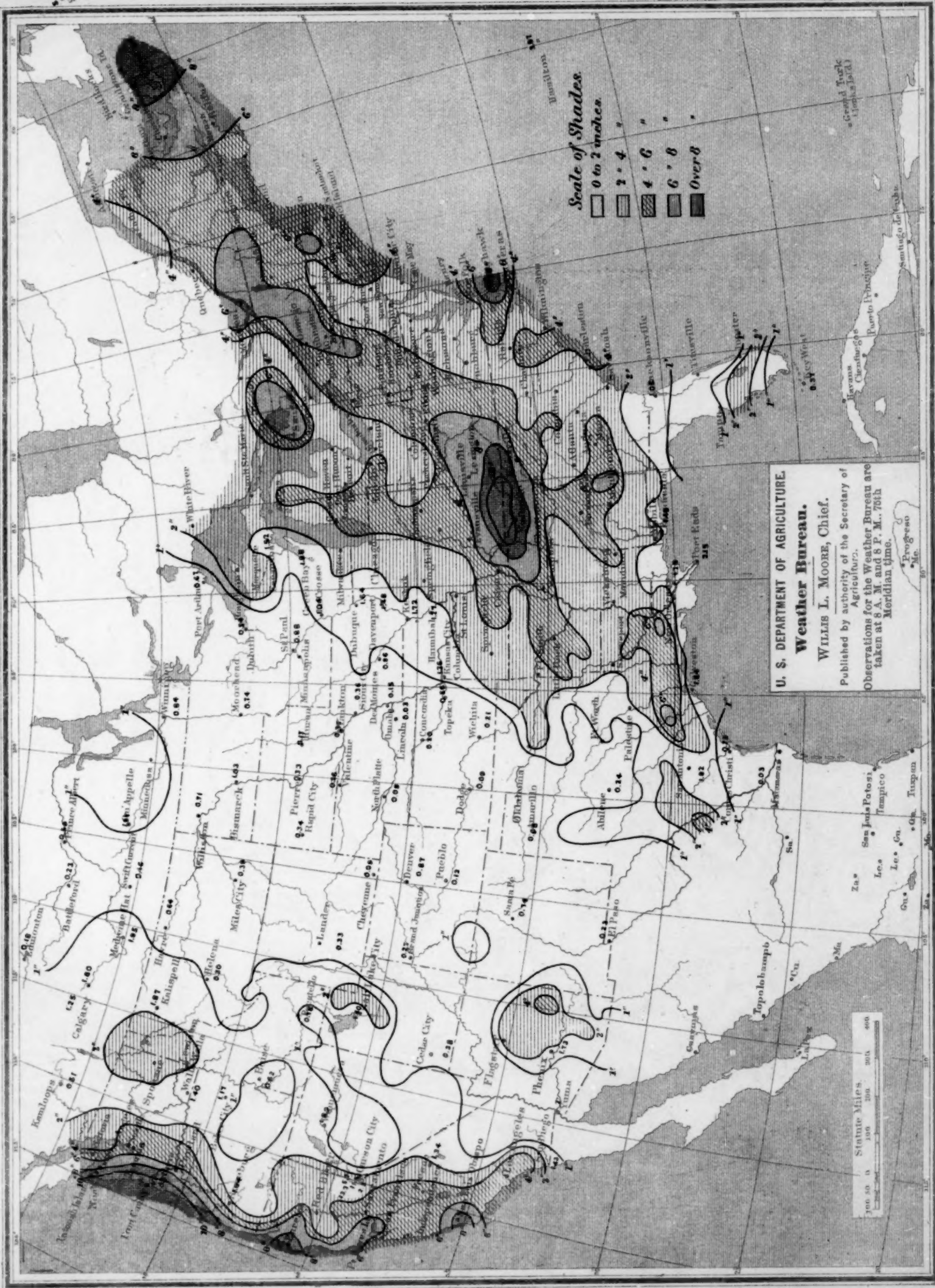


Chart IV. Sea-Level Pressure and Temperature; Resultant Surface Winds. November, 1900.

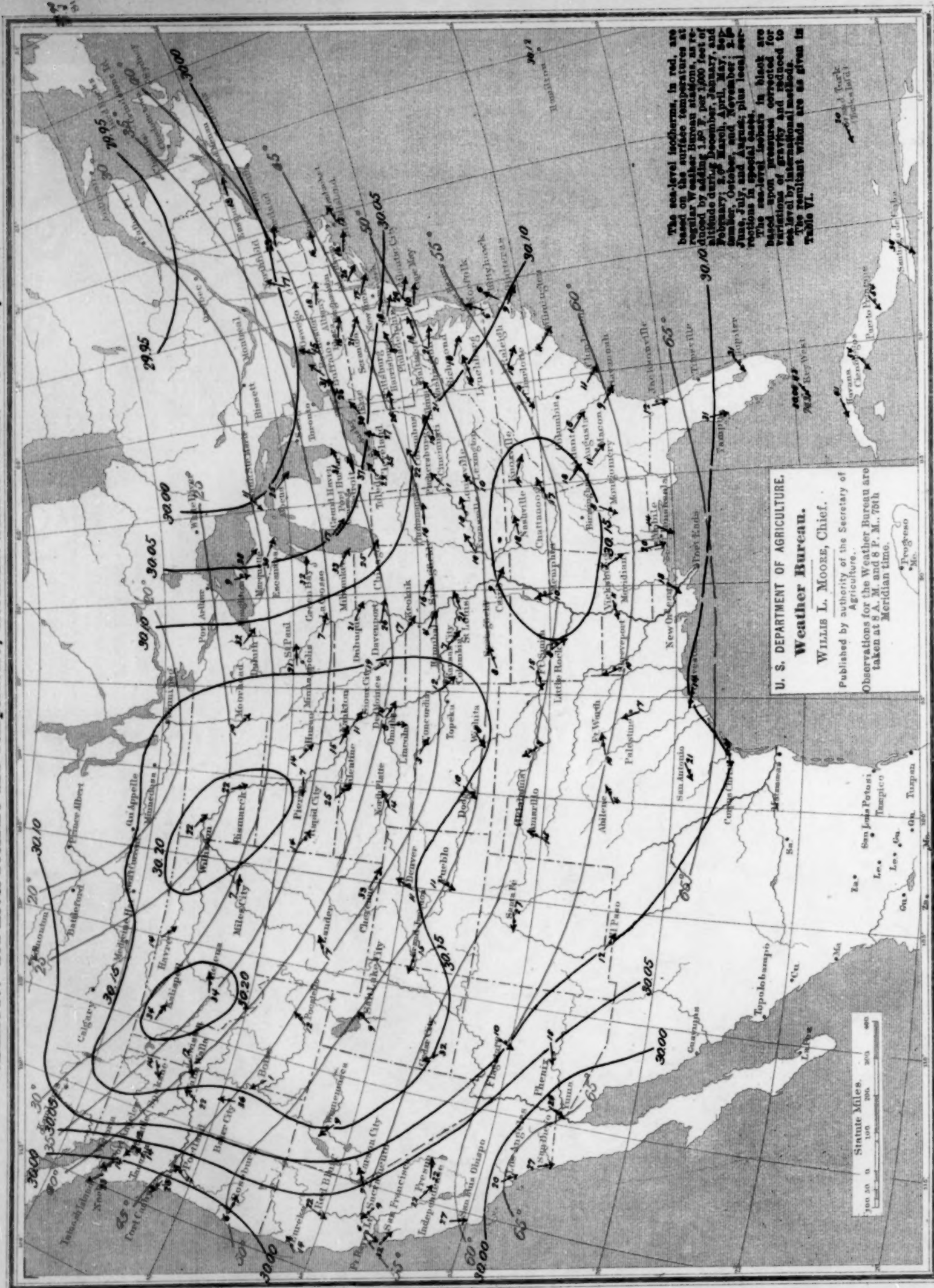


Chart V. Hydrographs for Seven Principal Rivers of the United States. November, 1900.

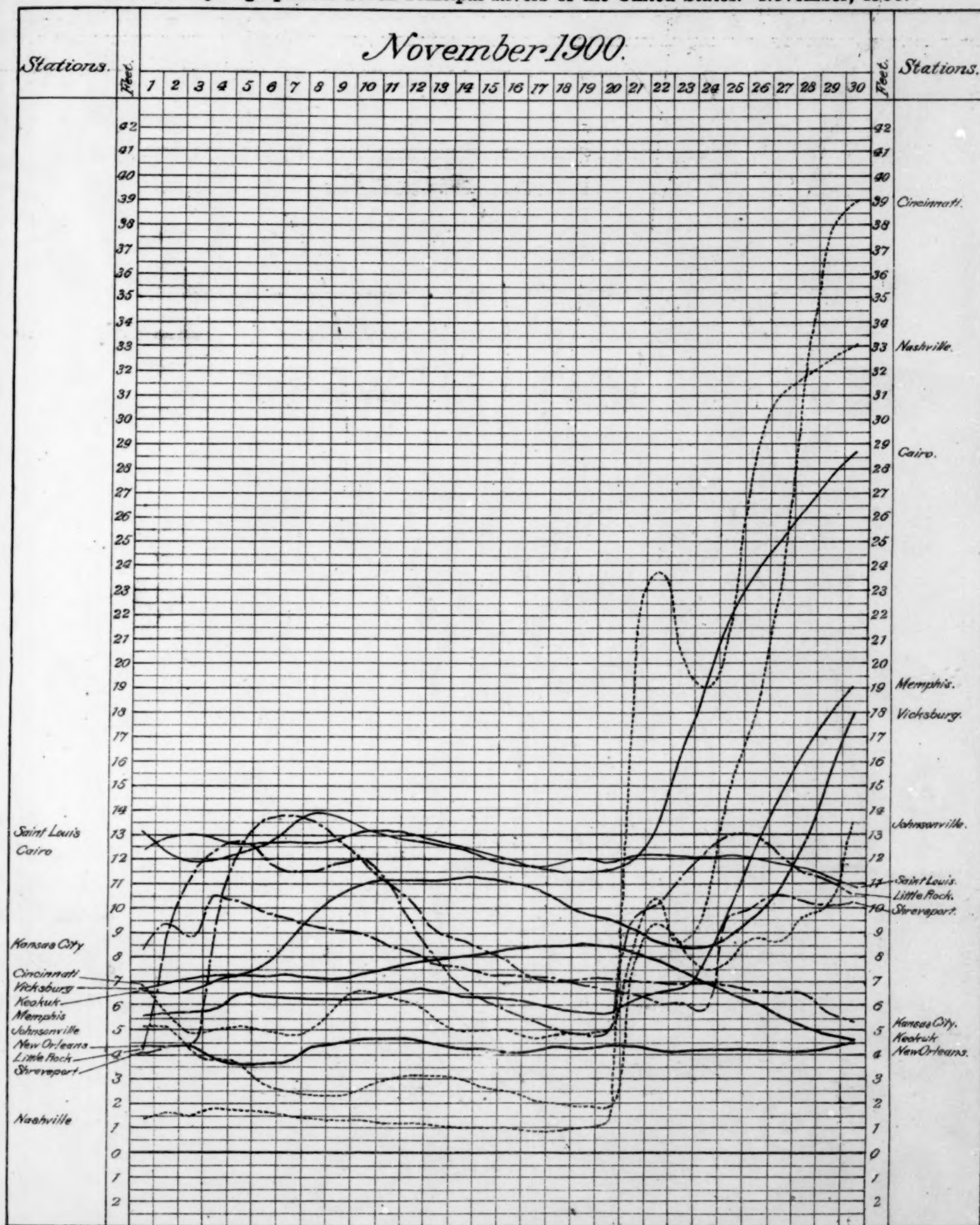


Chart VI. Surface Temperatures; Maximum, Minimum, and Mean. November, 1900.

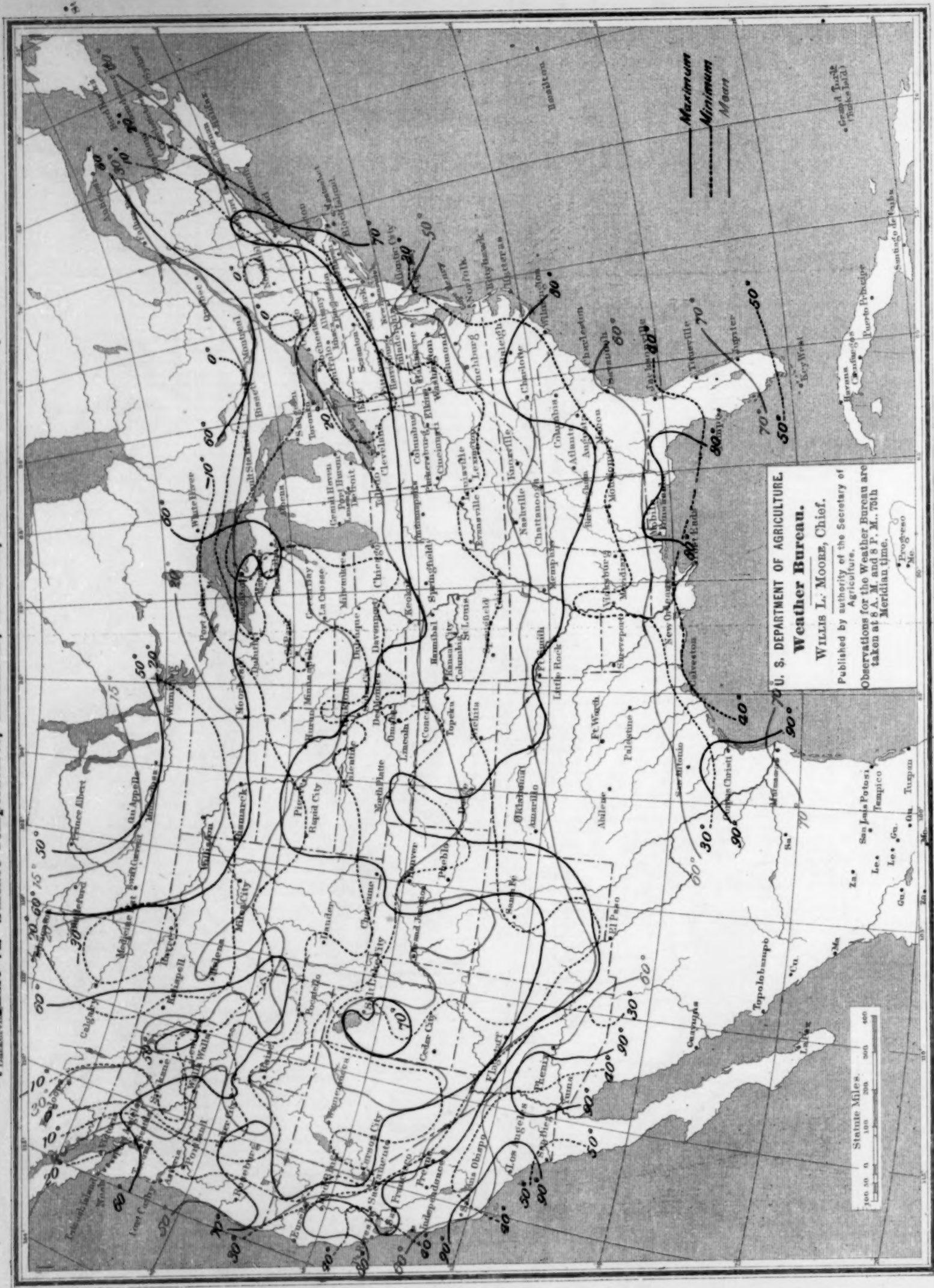


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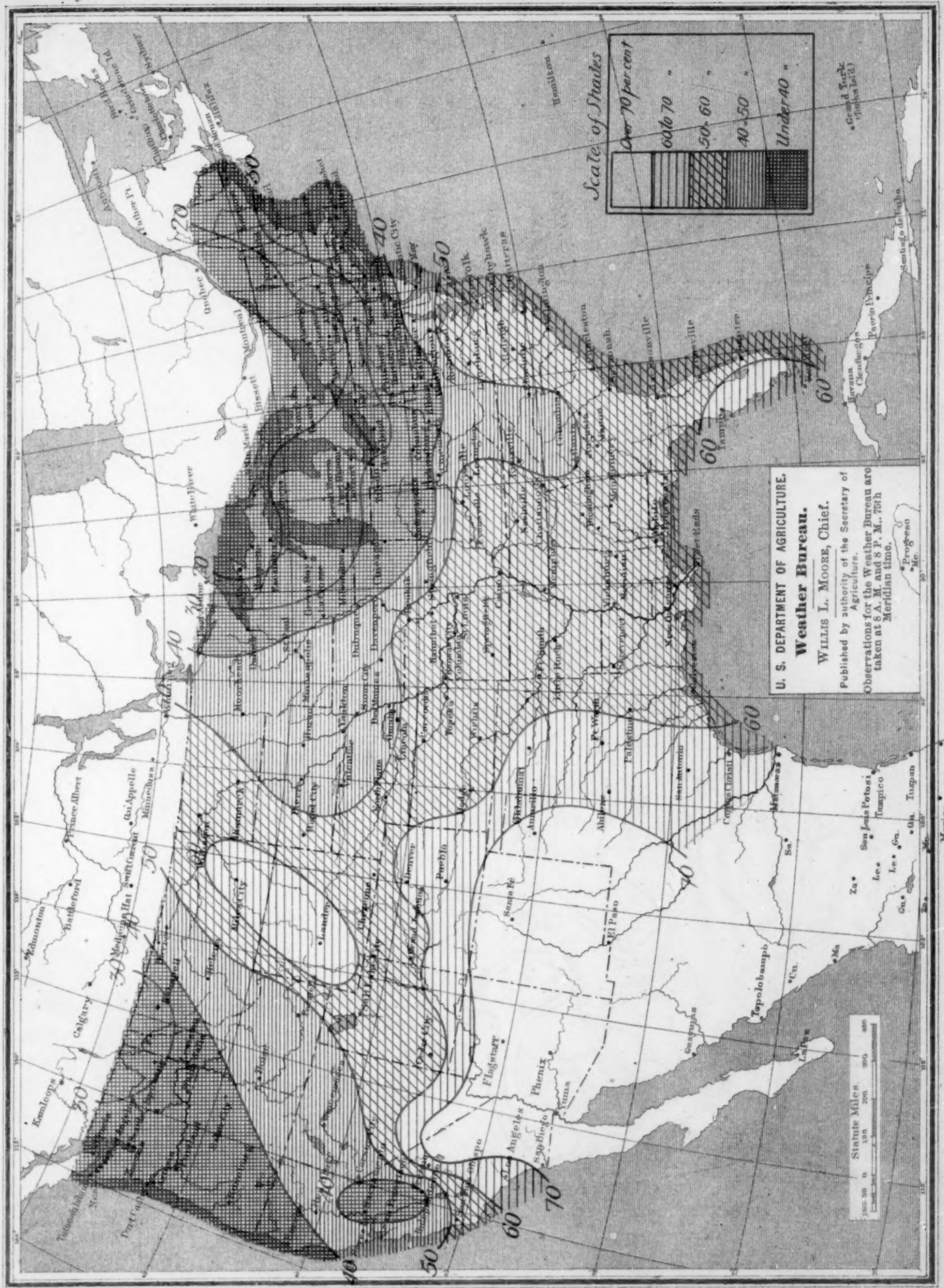


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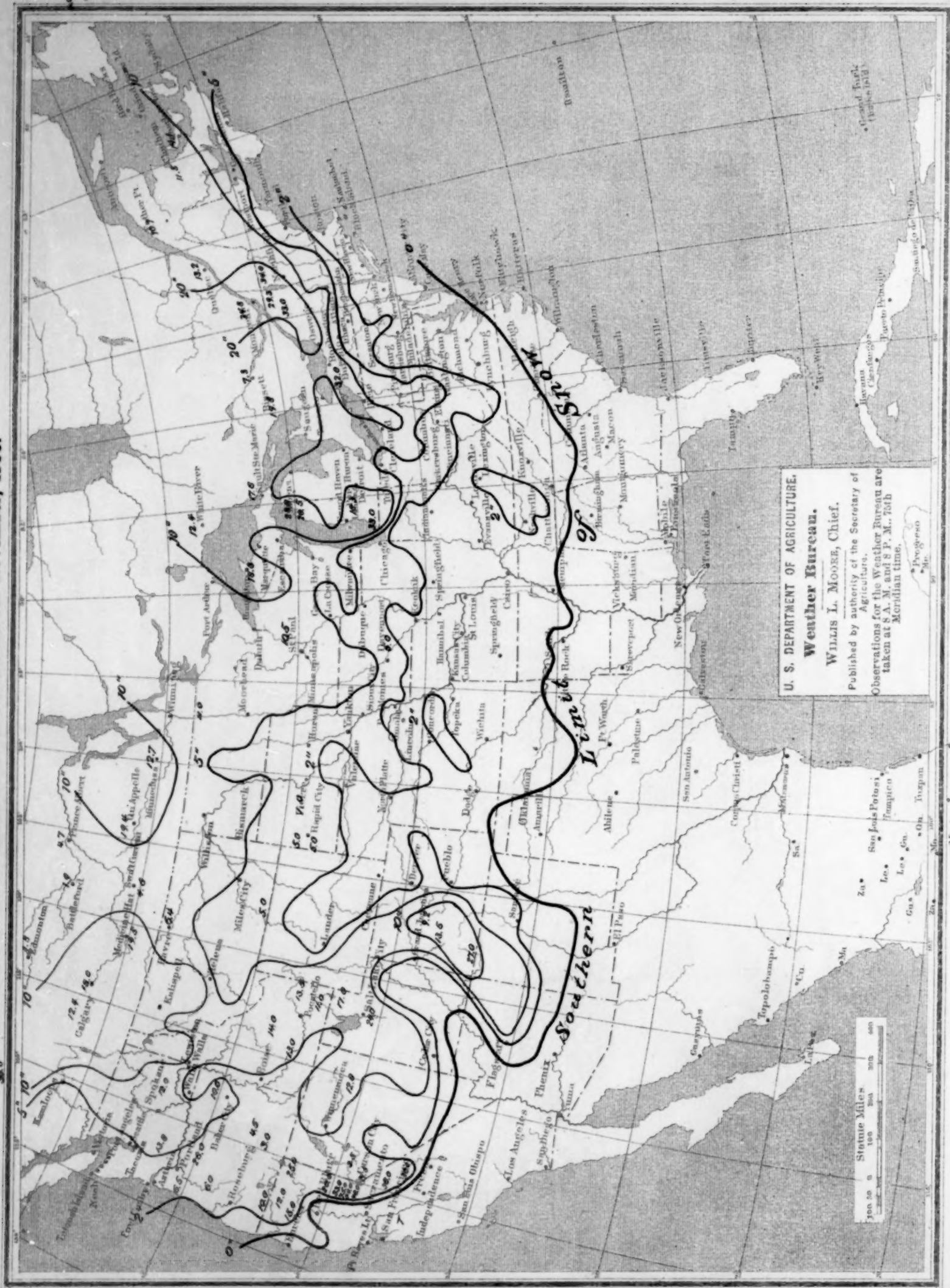


Chart IX. Depth of Snow on Ground November 30, 1900.

Chart X. West Indian Monthly Isobars, Isotherms, and Resultant Winds. November, 1900.

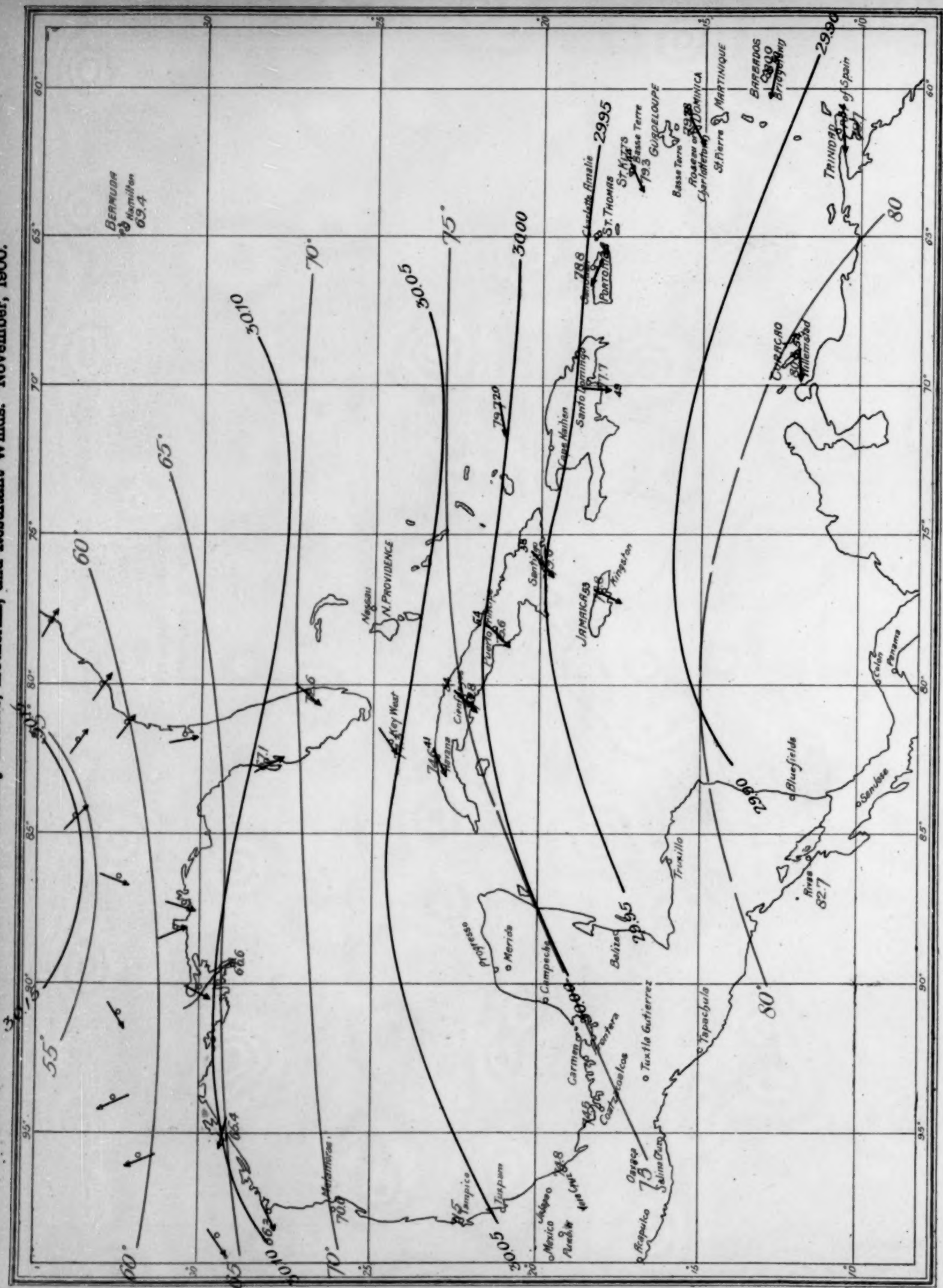


Plate I.



FIG. 1.—Morning fog over valleys. View from U. S. Weather Bureau Observatory, Mount Tamalpais.



FIG. 2.—Lifted fog. Height above ground about 500 meters. View from U. S. Weather Bureau Observatory, Mount Tamalpais.

Plate II.



FIG. 3.—Sea fog pouring over Sausalito Hills and through Golden Gate.



FIG. 4.—Fog waves. View from U. S. Weather Bureau Observatory, Mount Tamalpais.